

BILL TO REVISE COUNTY LIQUOR LICENSING SETUP KILLED AFTER SENSATIONAL DEBATE

Axis Is Flying Fresh Troops to Africa

Hitler Making Desperate Move To Save Rommel

Allies Hurl Great Fleet of Planes into Action Off Coast
More Than 700 Italians Captured by American Forces

By DANIEL DE LUCE
ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, April 1 (AP)—The Axis is desperately flying fresh troops into Tunisia. It was disclosed today, and the Allies have thrown a mighty, overpowering aerial fleet into a campaign, to forestall such reinforcements, to wipe the enemy from Africa and to destroy his potential means of escape.

The presence of air-borne reinforcements for Marshal Erwin Rommel's hard-pressed troops was revealed with the capture of more than 700 Italians and German grenadiers during a renewed American push east of El Guettar toward the coast. Some of the prisoners said they had been in Africa fewer than ten days.

Nearly 100 Flying Fortresses, the greatest force of the big four-motored bombers ever massed for a war operation, bashed the important Axis supply base at Cagliari on Sardinia yesterday, seriously crippling its usefulness to the enemy, while swarms of other American and British planes turned Rommel's retreat up the eastern Tunisian coast into a nightmare of destruction.

Telling of the great blow at Cagliari, an American pilot said: "If there was anything we did not hit then it must have been buried."

"I saw thousands of bombs bursting," said another. "They seemed to be exploding on every bit of the harbor."

Any hopes the Axis might have entertained of using Cagliari as the base for a "Dunkirk" evacuation of divisions now encircled in a great Allied trap apparently were wiped out by the concentrated assault of the Fortresses.

Not a Fortress or an escorting Lightning fighter was lost from the raid—adequate proof of the Allies' (Continued on Page 16, Col. 6)

SOFT COAL MINERS RETURN TO WORK WITHOUT CONTRACT

NEW YORK, April 1 (AP)—America's soft coal miners worked today under terms of a contract extended in time to avert a threatened stoppage while their union again met northern and southern Appalachian bituminous operators in negotiations for a new pact to include wage boosts.

The present contract expired after last midnight and was carried over for thirty days retroactively in keeping with separate agreements reached by the United Mine Workers Union and the two groups of operators.



RAF CELEBRATES ANNIVERSARY WITH ATTACK ON NAZI TOWNS

LONDON, April 1 (AP)—The RAF celebrated its twenty-fifth anniversary today by attacking two towns in Western Germany where startled Germans stood gaping in the streets at swift British Mosquito bombers which dipped as low as fifty feet to plant their delayed-action explosives on industrial objectives.

Squadrons of fighters also attacked railways and other Axis-held transportation in France and Belgium by daylight, the air ministry reported.

The Mosquitos, the RAF's fastest bombers, which twice have attacked Berlin by daylight, blasted a power station and important railway workshops at Trier and Ehrang near the German-Luxembourg frontier.

With bombs fused to explode a few seconds after the Mosquitos were safely away, the airmen attacked at altitudes from fifty to 200 feet.

At Trier the pilots saw their bombs smash into the roof of a railway workshop, and debris from the explosion was thrown high into the air. The Trier power station also was bombed.

At Ehrang the crews reported their bombs caused a "terrific explosion," and it was believed a gasoline dump was hit.

The pilots told how they saw the surprised Germans looking up in the streets as they streaked across the towns, and Nazi anti-aircraft gunners apparently also were caught flat-footed because none of the planes was lost and only two German fighters were sighted.

Four British planes were missing from the sweeps over France and Belgium, and a fifth plane failed to return from a daylight reconnaissance over northwest Germany.

Unwed Mother Killed Three Babes, She Says

DENVER, April 1 (AP)—An attractive young woman, in a statement, announced by Capt. James E. Childers, said today that she drowned three babies in bathtubs immediately after their birth and secreted their bodies in a flower-decorated hope chest.

The infants' bodies, wrapped in blankets and packed in shirt boxes, were found in an apartment building in a basement locker assigned to Bernice Williams, 23.

Miss Williams was taken into custody without charge and held without bail.

Drowned All Three

Detective Capt. James E. Childers said she told him, in a three-page statement, that she was unmarried and that she gave birth to the babies at three separate Denver addresses. She drowned them, the officer said, because she "couldn't afford to support them."

The detective captain, advising newspapermen of the signed statement, related the following details of his questioning of the young woman:

All were "born alive and crying," she told the detective captain. Not a soul helped her at the births, she said. Immediately after birth, she continued, she filled the bathtub and held the infant under water for about twenty minutes.

She kept them, side by side, in the wooden chest "because I didn't know what else to do with them, and I thought it would be safest to keep them with me."

Germans Attack British Forces In North Africa

Fleeing Axis Troops Attempting To Make Real Stand

Seek To Retrieve Valuable Stores Lost to the Allies

By WILLIAM B. KING
ON THE NORTHERN TUNISIAN FRONT, 10:55 a. m., April 1 (AP)—Axis troops attacked British positions a few miles east of Sedjenane early today after being thrown into a precipitate flight yesterday and losing huge quantities of equipment.

The scale of the fighting was not immediately reported. It appeared to be an attempt by the German and Italian troops to retrieve big stores of material they had abandoned in a little mining town near Sedjenane.

After being hurried out of Sedjenane the Axis troops had been observed moving yesterday toward previous positions ten miles east of Sedjenane, so rapidly that contact with them was lost temporarily by their British and French pursuers.

Axis Losses Heavy

Meanwhile Allied troops mopped up isolated enemy units in the rugged hills and valley west and south of Sedjenane on Wednesday, moving through roads and tracks littered with abandoned enemy ammunition and material to consolidate new positions east of Sedjenane.

The twenty-mile-long winding valley between Djebel Abiod, where the British army began its recent advance, and Sedjenane was littered with shell dumps, scattered ammunition cases and abandoned equipment ranging from grenades to gas masks.

All signs pointed to a hasty enemy withdrawal. Only the most mobile equipment was taken by the Axis troops, and both sides of the road were pocked with holes made by heavy Allied shells pumped into the Axis positions.

Along the road itself larger craters told the tale of the RAF, of bombs dropped on fleeing columns by British airmen.

Fail To Halt Attacks

The German air force tried to halt the Allied advance along this road, but it was a feeble effort. Engineers were filling in the few bomb craters caused by the Nazis, and Allied traffic hardly was halted.

This traffic ranged from transports taking troops into battle to pack mules laden with supplies for troops holding mountain positions on the flanks.

A tide of transports also was going the other way—carrying captured enemy artillery and other supplies. One truck also was loaded with Italian prisoners being taken back to Allied camps.

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"Master War Plan" Urged To End Confusion among New Deal Groups

WASHINGTON, April 1 (AP)—A "master war plan," providing that the entire war program—manpower, procurement and production as well as military strategy and operation—shall be cleared through the joint chiefs of staff, was proposed today by Rep. Mans (R-Minn.).

Ranking minority member of the House Naval committee and a flying colonel in the Marine Corps reserve, he announced he would introduce legislation to co-ordinate the various war activities.

Nazi Caucasian Forces Facing Annihilation

Russians Take More Villages in Drive for Novorossisk

Reds Also Hold Firmly to Donets River Defense Line

LONDON, Friday, April 2—Russian troops have captured several localities in the continuing drive to wipe out the Nazi Caucasian bridgehead at Novorossisk, having reduced another stronghold on the Smolensk front, and held firmly on their Donets river defense line, Moscow announced early today.

The midnight communique also reported that German troops had penetrated to the western outskirts of one populated place in the Sevsk area, 170 miles northwest of Nazi-held Kharkov, but said a Russian counterattack threw back the enemy and killed 200 Germans.

The Germans announced the capture of Sevsk, eighty miles below Bryansk, sometime ago.

The resumed Russian Caucasian drive presumably was in the area of captured Anastasevskaya, thirty-three miles north of Novorossisk.

May Trap Germans

Anastasevskaya, only ten miles from a road junction connecting Novorossisk on the Black Sea with Nazi forces holding the western tip of the Taman peninsula opposite the Crimea, fell to the Russians Wednesday. The Red army push there threatens to trap the enemy troops holding Novorossisk.

Other Russian units operating in the Abinskaya area are only twenty miles northeast of the former Soviet Black Sea fleet base.

South of Bely on the central front, the Russians said one of their Soviets forced a German garrison into a hasty retreat after threatening to encircle it.

Soviet artillery also supported an infantry operation which toppled another stronghold on the same front, and the communique said German officers taken prisoner reported that many formations of the Three Hundred and Sixty-Seventh Nazi infantry division had lost seventy to eighty per cent of their men in recent fighting on the exhausting front where heavy rain and mud has hampered the Red army advance.

Russians Hold Line

In the sector east of Axis-held Kharkov the Russians continued to hold their defense line along the upper Donets river. The communique said one German infantry company had been wiped out by Soviet mortar gunners and snipers during the day in this positional warfare where artillery duels are frequent.

The position along the long front was essentially unchanged except for the western Caucasian front.

End of Rubber Battle

He contended this would "eliminate such fundamental conflicts as the rubber program versus high octane gasoline and escort vessels. The number of escort vessels to be built and the schedule of their completion and going into service vitally affects not only military operations but the grand over-all military strategy of the war.

"Therefore, when the rubber program conflicts with the escort program, the rubber program itself becomes a matter of military discipline. The war cannot be fought without high-octane gasoline.

"The balancing of the program of high octane gasoline, escort vessels, and the production of rubber in the final analysis is a military decision, and this decision can be made only by the joint chiefs of staff if the whole program is to be properly co-ordinated and more a part of an over-all plan."

A CLOSE CALL



RETURNING from a bombing raid on Kiska, Lieut. John J. Brahan of Long Beach, N. Y., examines shrapnel that went through the nose of his B-24 bomber. Brahan is a member of the 11th U. S. Air Force which operates out of the Andromeda. Army photo.

Post-War Plans Creating Doubt, Welles Declares

Undersecretary of State Urges Adoption of Definite Policy

NEW YORK, April 1 (AP)—Undersecretary of State Sumner Welles today termed the post-war policy of the United States a source of "one of the gravest doubts that exists in the minds of the United Nations."

In an address before the Chamber of Commerce of the State of New York, broadcast by NBC, Welles said this nation's Allies recall that after the victory of 1918 the United States withdrew from almost every form of practical co-operation in reconstruction tasks and "made no effort to win the peace."

"Our Allies are asking themselves now whether we will again follow that same course," Welles said. "In a very real sense the decision that will be made with regard to the renewal of the trade agreements act will be regarded by peoples throughout the world as an acid test of our future intentions."

"They will see in that decision a clear indication as to whether the people of the United States have determined upon a policy of international co-operation for the future, or whether they will once more turn back to that road of isolation which leads to inevitable disaster."

Greatest Objective

Creation of a reliable and permanent peace is the greatest single objective of the nation, Welles said, but added that "one of the gravest doubts that exists in the minds of the partners of the united nations today is the doubt as to what the policy of the United States will be when the victory is won."

He said he was convinced that "unless the American people are willing to assume their fair share of responsibility for the maintenance of peace in the world of the future, by joining in the exercise of police powers when that may be determined by international agreement" (Continued on Page 16, Col. 7)

ONE PILOT KILLED, TWO OTHERS MISSING IN NEW YORK AREA

NEW YORK, April 1 (AP)—The Third naval district reported tonight that one pilot was killed in the crash of his plane and two other pilots were missing after encountering bad flying conditions in a sudden shift of weather Wednesday night in the vicinity of Floyd Bennett field.

A fourth flyer, part of the formation of Grumman Wildcat planes, landed safely.

Delegate Dick Charges Violations Are Common; Condemns Courts, Police

Majority Leader White Declares Grand Jury Should Be Summoned if Conditions Are as Charged; Dick Asserts 24 out of 58 Licensed Dealers Are Engaged in Bootlegging; Defies Delegation

ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 1 (AP)—The House of Delegates killed today a bill that would revise the liquor licensing system in Allegany county after the majority floor leader declared that if enforcement conditions were such as described by sponsors of the measure the county grand jury should be summoned immediately.

The House Ways and Means committee had brought the bill to the floor with a 17-7 favorable report, but after a blistering two-hour debate, a motion that the measure be recommitted to the Allegany county delegation prevailed on the grounds that the legislature should not go against a majority of the delegates from counties.

The bill then was sent back to the delegation by a 66-41 vote, and thus was in effect killed since the Allegany group opposed the bill, four to two.

Delegate J. Milton Dick, House Republican leader, sponsored the bill, charging that there was widespread illegal liquor traffic in his county.

"I defy any member of my delegation to deny this. I can furnish names and proof," Dick told the House.

DICK CONDEMNS COURTS

"I condemn the courts, the state's attorney, the sheriff, and the police officers of every town in Allegany county—and they all are Republicans," Dick said in denying assertions that his bill was conceived for political purposes.

The circuit court of Allegany county now issues licenses in Allegany county, and Dick's bill would set up a county liquor board to administer sale of alcoholic beverages.

Majority Leader John S. White, declaring that he was opposed to the court licensing power because "it takes away the dignity of the court, said nevertheless that "the people of Allegany county should settle this question for themselves."

In referring to Dick's charges of wide-spread traffic in illegal liquor, White said:

PREDICTS GRAND JURY PROBE

"Whether he is right or wrong, it is my prediction that before night, or after the Cumberland newspapers have these statements, the state's attorney there should ask the gentleman from Allegany county to come before the grand jury.

"How in the name of heaven can the state's attorney take it? It appears that there is a baby on his doorstep now."

Aside from receiving several committee reports, the House considered only the liquor bill before recessing for a night session. Rules were suspended to permit introduction of two local bills, one of them extending the term of liquor board members in Montgomery county to four years and to revise limitations on sale.

White said that it was "proper" to refer Dick's bill to the ways and means committee since the Allegany delegation was split. Dick and Delegate Kenneth G. Morgan supported the bill, while the other four county delegates, Mrs. Lulu W. Boucher, Lester B. Reed, Jonathan Sleeman, and Charles M. See were opposed. All are Republicans.

White Prefers Board

"It should not be a function of the courts to handle liquor," White said. "I don't like the idea of the court being the judge, the jury and the court of appeals all at once. It should be done by a board. The court is no place to fight over who should and who should not get liquor licenses."

"However, each county's views should be taken into consideration. I have emphasized as strongly as

Hershey Predicts Fathers Will Be Called for Service July 1

WASHINGTON, April 1 (AP)—Selective Service Director Lewis B. Hershey said today he would like to postpone induction of fathers as long as possible, but acknowledged that calling them is likely to begin about July 1.

Hershey held a press conference his desire to put off drafting fathers was largely "sentimental." He said the ban against their induction would be lifted in advance of the time they actually would have to be called up in order to meet quotas.

Asked about reports that present draft classifications might be overhauled, Hershey said the subject was "currently and perpetually" under consideration but no changes have been ordered thus far, at least.

Reports, emanating from informed sources who declined to be named, had said strong attention was being directed to revising the classifications so that:

All the childless married men would be reclassified out of 3-A and 3-B to 1-A (available for induction when their order numbers are reached) except those "individually essential" in their present jobs for those whose induction would mean undue hardship on dependents.

Atlantic Battle Results Remain Military Secret

But Progress Is Reported
in War against Axis
Submarines

By GLENN BARR
Associated Press Staff Writer

The progress of the battle of the Atlantic, the bitter, unceasing fight against Hitler's U-boat packs on which Allied fortunes in all the other battles depends, remains pretty much a well kept military secret. Prime Minister Churchill declined yesterday to discuss it in the House of Commons and asked "for a measure of confidence" despite his silence. But Mr. Churchill himself and other Allied spokesmen have said enough on other occasions to indicate that we have good hopes of success.

This does not mean victory in the sense that the seas will be cleared of the U-boats and our convoys will carry our armies unmolested to the attack on Hitler's Europe. There never will be such a phase of this war. The highest degree of success we can expect is that despite the tragic cost in lives, ships and the products of American war industry we shall maintain cargo fleets sufficient to transport the power we need to destroy the Axis.

Big Claims by Germany

The Germans published yesterday their monthly boast of submarine and warplane sinkings, claiming 149 Allied cargo ships of 926,000 gross tons of which 138 ships and 851,600 tons were credited to the U-boats. The Germans exaggerate heavily in these compilations and the actual figure doubtless is much lower. But Washington admits that March losses were larger than for January or February, although less than for March, 1942, and there is every indication that we must expect the grim totals to rise in the coming months.

However, on the basis of Berlin's own undisputed figures there is assurance that the Allies are keeping well ahead in the race between sinkings and new production and it is even possible that despite all Hitler can accomplish with the 500 or 700 U-boats he may put into the Atlantic this summer the margin may rise at an increasing rate.

Latest British Figures

From a complicated comparison of recent announcements a rough idea can be obtained of how this margin runs. On Feb. 11 Mr. Churchill said that it had been 1,250,000 tons for the six months previous. This week, nearly two months later, A. V. Alexander, first lord of the admiralty, said the eight-months margin was "a good deal more than 2,000,000 tons."

On Wednesday the combined shipping adjustment board in Washington disclosed that United States construction for 1943 would reach the stupendous total of 18,890,000 deadweight tons, more than 13,000,000 of the gross tons in which Churchill, Alexander and the Germans make their calculations.

Thus it is indicated that American production alone outstrips Berlin's brags. To further swell the margin is the very large output of the shipyards of Britain and Canada.

Obviously we are not losing in the absolute sense that Japan is losing her war against our submarines and planes, suffering a rate of shipping loss which far exceeds her capacity for replacement.

Building Not Enough

But building ships faster than the U-boats can destroy them is not enough. Unless the margin is kept high enough, by buildings, by killing U-boats, by blasting their lairs and the factories that make them, enable us to deliver the offensive power necessary to batter down the defenses of Hitler's Europe the victory in the battle of the Atlantic will be his.

There is no reason to doubt the circumstantial reports from his new dark continent that he has given priority over all other phases of the Axis war effort to his U-boat flotillas, even ahead of planes, tanks, guns, transportation.

This priority applies to materials, labor, transport, manpower, all down the line. His surface navy apparently is abandoned so far as new effort is concerned.

Hitler knows that the submarine was his one hope of preventing the invasion of Europe that would destroy him. It is his hope not of winning the war but perhaps of gaining a negotiated peace which would permit his survival and fall short of the United Nations' declared goal of his unconditional surrender.

Victory in Tunisia, even in Russia, may prove meaningless unless the Allies can win in the Atlantic.

Msgr. L. J. McNamara Dies in Baltimore

BALTIMORE, April 1 (AP)—Msgr. Lawrence J. McNamara, pastor of St. Brigid's Catholic church for forty-two years, died early today at the church rectory.

The Rev. Mr. McNamara was 74. A native of North Adams, Mass., he was ordained in Baltimore fifty years ago. Before becoming pastor of St. Brigid's, he served as assistant pastor of St. Ann's church and helped in the establishment of St. Philip and St. James church.

A baseball player in his younger days and afterwards an enthusiastic follower of the sport, he made a tour of the world with the New York Giants at the request of the late John J. McGraw, Giants' manager and a friend made in the days when McGraw handled the Baltimore Orioles of the International League.

Short Campaign Suggestion Made By Frank Walker

But Republicans Charge
Democrats Have Al-
ready Named FDR

WASHINGTON, April 1 (AP)—A Democratic suggestion that the 1944 presidential campaign be a short one with the nominating conventions held sometime in August, instead of early summer, brought a Republican reply today that the Democrats have already selected their candidate.

Frank C. Walker, chairman of the Democratic National committee, made the short campaign proposal and urged meanwhile that fourth-term and other candidate talk be halted while "we get on with the war."

Chairman Harrison Spangler of the Republican national committee promptly responded:

"It is a matter of regret that the New Deal leaders have waited to make the proposal of late political conventions until after their candidate has already been selected."

"The conference of the Democratic National committee leaders at the White House a few weeks ago indicates that the New Deal party has already had its real convention."

Democrats Hold 'Convention'

This referred to a meeting between the president and a dozen national committee officers and members on March 4. Walker said at the time that one or two told the president he ought to run again, but it was not said seriously. He repeated this today when asked about the conference.

Spangler said the date for the G.O.P. convention was up to the National committee.

"I can't fix it," he told reporters.

Walker, just back from a three and a half weeks' combination postal-political tour of a dozen western and Pacific coast states, told his first formal press conference since assuming the party chairmanship in January that he believed it a "mistake" to discuss possible candidates now in either party.

Walker Wants Agreement

Walker, added, however, that he would like to see an agreement between the two major parties to limit the 1944 campaign to perhaps September and October, with the conventions being held later than the usual June and July.

Spangler said Walker's suggestion, coupled with his trip around the west "conferring with New Deal prospective delegates" was "evidence beyond any doubt that they have started their fourth-term presidential campaign."

"They will, of course, go through the formality as they did in their third-term convention in 1940 when their delegates merely danced to the music furnished by a few New Deal bandmasters."

The Republican chairman said his party "will conduct a free convention controlled by the delegates selected by its rank and file" and "will at all times, in its activities, remember that we have a tragic war to win and our campaigning will be conducted with all the dignity of a great and vital American cause."

Denver Wants Convention

Walker said some people he saw in Denver wanted the Democratic convention for that city, but he added it was also too early to think about that because hotel, transportation and other accommodations had to be considered.

In response to questions Walker said he did not take seriously the resolutions adopted by Republican

POSSIBLE AXIS POWER PLAY



WITH THE ALLIED ARMIES racing to cut off Rommel's retreat, the position of Spain in the see-saw of power politics becomes increasingly important. Spain's powerful colonial army already serves to hold thousands of our troops mobilized on the Moroccan frontier while reports increase that Britain is feverishly reinforcing Gibraltar. In Spain itself, new north-south military roads are purportedly destined to provide speedy transit for Nazi divisions concentrated on the Spanish northern border.

Union Leaders Urge Roosevelt To Halt Rising Prices of Food

WASHINGTON, April 1 (AP)—Union Leaders comprising the combined Labor War Board repeated to President Roosevelt today a plea that food prices be kept from "running riot" and that labor be given "some men at the top" in such federal agencies as the War Production Board and War Manpower Commission.

They said they complained specifically that wages had been stabilized but food prices had not, and demanded that something be done about it. Mr. Roosevelt was described as reacting favorably.

The board members, representing the Congress of Industrial Organizations, the American Federation of Labor and the railway brotherhoods, said the president took notes on what they had to say, took the whole matter under consideration, and that discussions would continue at another meeting.

President Philip Murray of the CIO and William Green of the AFL said they were concerned over food prices because they represent such a large portion of the cost of living of workers. They added that they presented figures from Canton, Ohio, as a typical war production city, which showed prices of thirty-

controlled legislatures in Indiana, Illinois, Michigan and Iowa proposing a constitutional amendment limiting presidents to two terms.

That was a "natural policy for the opposition" to pursue, he said. Although Republican leaders decried getting the necessary thirty-two states to urge Congress to submit such an amendment in time to have any effect on next year's elections, Senator Butler (R-Neb.) said he and other Republicans were trying to get some Democratic support for a submission resolution they plan to offer soon.

Butler told reporters an informal survey indicated "several" Democrats would go along with the idea. But Democratic leaders, pointing out a two-thirds vote is required, say it will not get very far.

Walker said the main complaint he heard among Democrats on his western trip was that "there are too many Republicans" in government jobs, particularly in the OPA and farm agencies in the field.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 1 (AP)—Expressing doubt as to the constitutionality of a "work or fight" bill applying to fourteen counties of the state, Governor O'Connor today signed the bill into law.

The bill, an emergency measure which took effect immediately on its signature, makes it a misdemeanor for persons between the ages of 16 and 60 not to work during the war emergency.

"The question of the legality of the measure is not entirely free from doubt," the governor said. "This is indicated by the Attorney General (William C. Walsh) who, in his opinion to me under yesterday's date, states as follows:

"We are unable to definitely state that this act would be held constitutional but, on the other hand, we cannot definitely state that it would be held unconstitutional."

The bill, originally sponsored by Senate President Arthur H. Brice (D-Kent) as a Kent county measure, was later broadened to include fourteen counties, most of them on the Eastern Shore and in Southern Maryland.

Under the bill, persons between the ages of 16 and 60 who are not working during the war emergency are subject to a fine of \$100 or imprisonment for 30 days, or both.

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48-Hour Week Compliance Is Widely Reported

War Manpower Officials
Pleased with Start of
New Venture

By WILLIAM T. PEACOCK

WASHINGTON, April 1 (AP)—War manpower officials expressed satisfaction today over initial reports of compliance with the order for a forty-eight-hour work week in thirty-two labor-short areas and throughout the nation, in lumber and non-ferrous mining industries.

Field reports on this first major wartime effort to lengthen the work week brought no word of any open defiance. On the contrary, employers were described generally as co-operating fully.

As had been indicated earlier by surveys, it appeared few workers would be released immediately for other jobs. Most war plants in the areas where the order became effective today already were on a forty-eight-hour or longer work week.

Compliance, too did not necessarily mean immediate institution of a forty-eight-hour week. Under WMC regulations, employers were deemed to be in compliance if: (1) they went on a forty-eight-hour week; (2) filed with the WMC a schedule showing how many workers could be released by a forty-eight-hour week; (3) filed a request for exemption from the order.

Full Effect in Doubt

Since those plants instituting a forty-eight-hour week were not required to make any report to the WMC, it was expected to be some time before the full effect of the order would be known.

Likewise, it may be weeks or months before employers who would release workers by going on a longer week will be directed to make the change. WMC ordered that no employer should drop any workers until the United States employment service advised that it had other jobs for them.

Under this gradual schedule, the Detroit WMC office estimated, 10,000 workers might eventually be released there for different work, but said only about 500 would be affected immediately.

A survey indicated most requests for exemptions came from smaller employers. In Baltimore, about 1,500 were filed, but one-third were withdrawn before the deadline. The WMC office there granted total exemption to about 100 and in 900 other cases exempted certain individuals or departments.

Not Many Requests

Only one request for exemption, and that for only three employees,

was made in one affected community, Somerville, N. J. In the Hampton Roads, Va., area about one-third of 1,500 affected concerns asked partial or total exemption.

WMC officials said the longer work week would be ordered into effect in other communities as need developed, but that it probably would never be applied on a nationwide basis because no labor shortage is anticipated in some populated centers.

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325,000 License Plates Issued, Elgin Reports

Decline of 13,064 under
Last Year, Commis-
sioner Says

BALTIMORE, April 1 (AP)—The department of motor vehicles reported today the issuance of 325,000 license plates by the deadline set for displaying the 1944 numbers, a decline of 13,064 under last year's deadline sales.

Despite the rushes staged during the past week by motorists trying to beat the deadline, today's business was expected to top any single day since tags were placed on sale Feb. 15.

Commissioner of Motor Vehicles W. Lee Elgin said he expected sales to continue heavy for at least another week, and he warned motorists who failed to obtain tags by today's deadline not to use their vehicles if they wanted to avoid arrest.

Elgin said about 50,000 persons who reported changed addresses and who mailed in their applications recently, might experience some delay.

He said procedure involved at the office would delay mailing.

Postoffice officials, however, declared that tags delivered to them for mailing were being distributed immediately. Tags put in the mail last night were slated to be delivered to homes today.

Meantime, police were reported stopping some motorists who placed their tags on the rear license plates, telling them to put them on the front, where they belong. No arrests were being made for this infraction.

Elgin added that the 1943 yellow tags should be removed from both front and back plates when the 1944 tags are placed in front.

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A LICK AT AXIS



AN ENGLISH GIRL does her share for the war effort by sticking savings stamps on a 500-lb. bomb at Trafalgar Square, London. When the bomb is fully covered with stamps, it is to be taken over Germany on a raiding plane and delivered.

WMC officials said the longer work week would be ordered into effect in other communities as need developed, but that it probably would never be applied on a nationwide basis because no labor shortage is anticipated in some populated centers.

Mary, Queen of Scots, is said to have bathed in wine.

Cosmetics have been found in Egypt dating back to 3,500 B. C.

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Synthetic Truck Tire Exhibited By Sec. Jeffers

Nearly as Good as Real
Rubber Product, He
Declares

WASHINGTON, April 1 (AP)—Displaying a heavy duty truck tire manufactured from synthetic rubber, Rubber Director William M. Jeffers told senators today that the artificial elastic had been perfected "to the point where it will very nearly meet all requirements without mixture with natural rubber."

He testified before an agriculture subcommittee, however, that "the rubber program is critical because we don't know how all the various processes for synthetic rubber are going to turn out."

The synthetic tire, he said, was the first heavy duty truck casing ever made in this country from the artificial product. It was built by Goodyear, utilizing butadiene produced at Institute, W. Va., by means of an alcohol process.

Jeffers vigorously defended an order issued jointly by his division and the agriculture department reducing the immediate projected planting of guayule, a rubber producing shrub, from 53,000 acres to between 13,000 and 20,000 acres. He contended that the irrigated California land intended for the guayule nursery was needed worse for food crops.

Jeffers said the secretary of agriculture had declared the food outlook was critical.

"My answer was that in view of that situation, it would be better to curtail guayule rubber planting in favor of production of food," Jeffers said.

If second-class land could be utilized, he added, he would like to see the whole over-all program of 208,000 acres of guayule carried out.

taxes. He said a pay-as-you-go measure, with a withholding levy on wages and salaries, should become effective July 1.

The Democratic leader's action directly conflicted with the stand of a majority of his party's Ways and Means members who opposed any tax abatement, and he drew some rebuff from the 79-year-old committee chairman.

"I did not have any advance information about Mr. McCormack's statement regarding tax matters," Doughton said in a formal statement. "He did not consult me as chairman of the committee on ways and means. Neither, so far as I know, did he consult any majority member of the committee before issuing his statement."

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Many Children Need Additional Home Control

Some Youngsters Restrained Too Much and Others Not Enough

By GARRY C. MYERS, Ph.D.

There are many fine, wonderful youths and wonderful parents of these youths. There also are some teen-aged boys and girls whose behavior is out of keeping with the spirit and needs of these times; an increasing number of youths who join the forces of juvenile delinquency and crime.

Practically always these erring youths have not been wisely controlled by their parents. All over America comes the warning from many thoughtful citizens that our youth, as a rule, need more home control than they have.

On the other hand, there are a few teen-age youths whose parents have controlled them rigidly up to adolescence but have continued to "boss" these children more than is good for them. For one of such parents, however, there are probably seventy-five or 100 parents who did not adequately restrain their youths when they were much younger and who have little or no control over these youths now.

Some of these parents have themselves been delinquent, though a large proportion of them have conscientiously tried to guide their children well. Accepting the advice of the rank and file of "chick specialists" that parents should not restrain the child when he is young, many of these parents, fearing they might be labeled brutal or sadistic if they did, vainly trusted that all would come out well. To scold such parents would seem to me unfair.

Is Spanking Brutal?

Curiously enough, some of the writers who are telling parents

they are responsible if their teen-age children get behind control, are the very ones who told these parents for years they should not discipline their young children lest they warp their personality or drive them to delinquency.

Who ever proved that intelligent spanking of the tot is brutal? Parents whose children have gotten beyond their control might find their best means for success lies in trying to understand their children better, and to find out how they feel about matters of great concern to them. Some of these parents might win the youth through greater efforts at restricting him as a person and making him feel he is a more worthy member of the family.

While not all parents can hope to reach the ideal in this direction, it is worth striving for. Parents of young children exercising all these constructive measures, will find them more fruitful if they will also cultivate in the tot some essential restraints.

Solving Parent Problems

Q Our three-year-old boy gets streaks when he will choose to have only one person dress him, or put on his boots; he actually refuses to allow any one else to do anything for him. You are finally worn out and submit to his dressing him. If she is the one wanted.

A Well, well! Don't you have any spine? Next time he refuses to have something done by any but one other member of the family, see that no other member does for him. Let all ignore him and let him howl as long as he likes. Otherwise, all too soon you will learn to obey your own child. Why begin so early?

Let's Go, Watson

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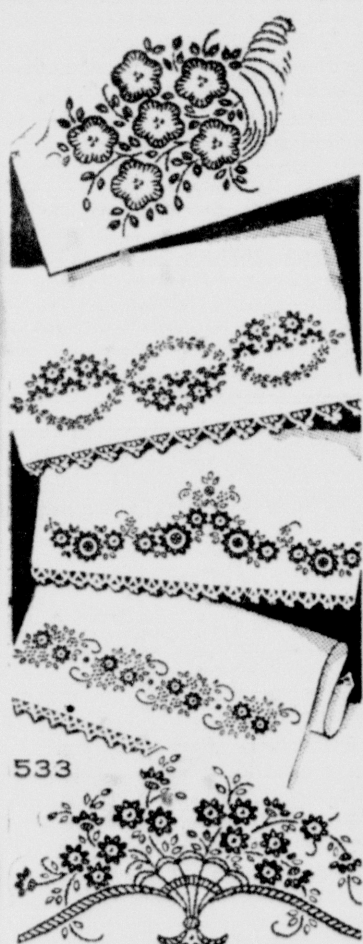
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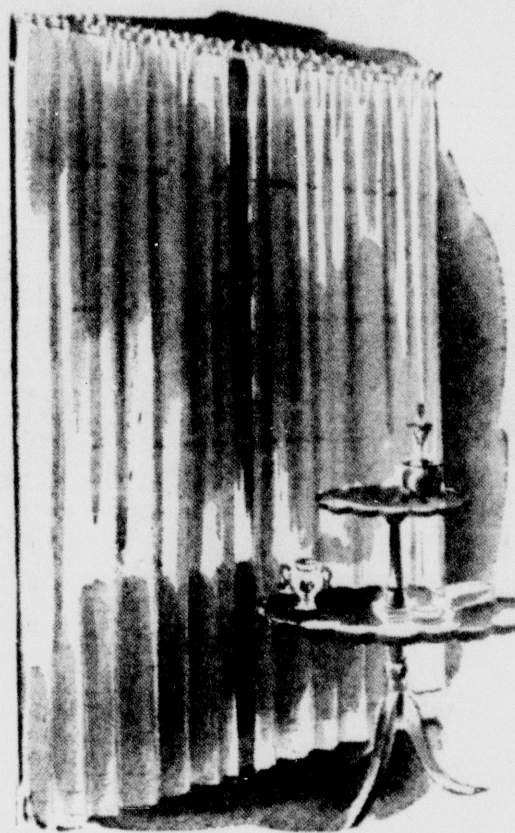
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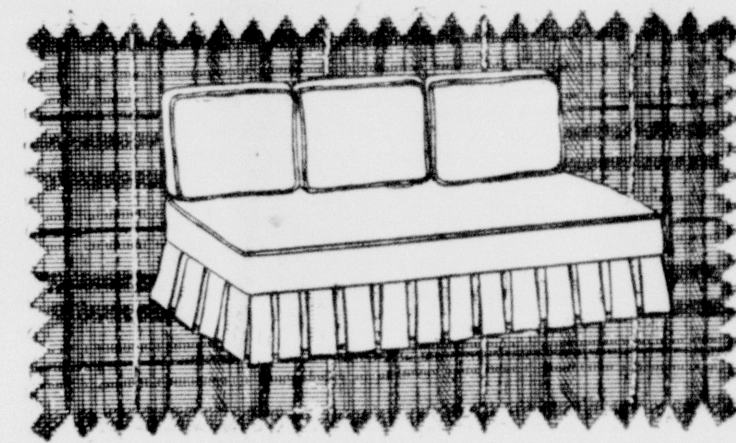
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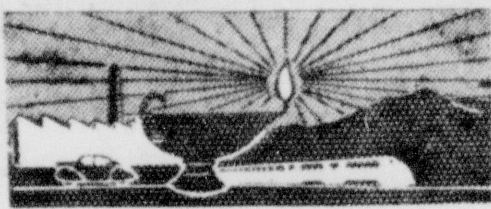
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Where the Blame Rests For Home Rule Failure

BLAME for the failure of the General Assembly to give consideration to some sort of a general home rule measure at the present session is seen by the *Baltimore Sun* to attach to the Assembly itself rather than to the state Legislative council. This is for the reason that the council has already duly acted in the premises.

The *Sun* reminds that the Research division of the Legislative council issued two well-rounded reports on the petty local bill problem previous to the 1941 session and a supplementary report previous to the present meeting. These reports, it declares, "contain all the information necessary for a thorough understanding of the problem and for the preparation of corrective legislation." What the Senate did in its resolution last week, it says, was to request the council to conduct still another study and to present at the 1945 session a series of bills to reach the desired end.

In other words, the buck was passed. Perhaps it would have been better if the Legislative council had whipped the substance of its report into bills and submitted them, which it has done before in other proposed legislation. Evidently that is what the Senate wants.

The real milk in the coconut, however, is the lack of leadership in the administration. If the governor had taken a firm step toward bringing about legislation designed to return local measures to the proper home authorities and to relieve the Assembly of its woeful biennial legislative jam, which is more terrific this year than ever before in history, something might have been accomplished, if only a step toward the desired corrective.

But, unhappily, such leadership has been sadly lacking. It lacks because the governor and the administration machine are reluctant to yield any of their powers or prerogatives. They can deal with one senator much easier than they could swing influence among local authorities if such were desired in the enactment of local legislation under home rule provisions. Besides, the present system gives the administration the opportunity of reaching into local spheres and getting closer contact if not dominance among the peoples of the counties and cities and their governments.

No, as was pointed out in the radio speech by the local chamber of commerce secretary, relief through initiative of the state administration appears almost hopeless. It will remain so until there is a change in state administration and a governor is placed at its head who will give more concern to the general welfare of the state in matters of governing authority than to the building up of a state political machine. Here lies the real remedy for the petty local bill problem.

It is true, as the *Sun* says, that this problem will not be solved until the legislators themselves force local officials to meet their responsibilities, but no such outcome can be expected until state leadership of the right kind moves them to do so.

Exercise of the constitutional privilege of obtaining local charters providing for home rule, as suggested by Thomas E. Conlon, speaker of the House, would not provide the uniformity necessary to eliminate the local bill problem. It could only result in a checkerboard of such charters and a constant stream of amendments and alterations from them to meet developing conditions. Besides, the chances for obtaining such charters in cities and counties all over the state would be exceedingly remote and the units refraining would still be pouring their local bills into the state legislative hopper.

Forest Conservation Should Be Improved

IT IS TO BE HOPED that the legislative grist at Annapolis will turn out an improved forest conservation measure. Such a measure has been under consideration. Its purpose is to provide Maryland woodland owners with an annual income from their timber of some \$15,000,000 in place of the present normal figure of \$5,000,000, and to make such income permanent.

The basis of the measure is the fact that, through misuse and fire damage, forests of the state are producing at only one-third capacity, with the likelihood that this production will steadily decline, and to the further fact that the present situation invites early regulation of state timberland by federal authorities under the plea that this necessary function of government is being neglected by the state.

The pending bill authorizes the commission of state forests and parks to set up in each of its four, and presently five, districts a forestry board of five members, to include representatives of local forest

and wood-working interests, and at least one representative of farm woodland owners. It would be the function of the boards to encourage the cultivation of timber crops, plan reforestation on cut-over areas—which should not be necessary if cutting over were done properly—assist in the profitable marketing of forest products and lend a hand generally in soil conservation and intelligent, remunerative land use.

Reforestation is the keynote of this timber conservation proposal, and it should be required under severe cutting regulations.

Ghost Armies In Europe

THE STORY that British agents and former Norwegian officers are forming a ghost army in Norway, waiting for the moment to strike, may or may not be true. But it could be true and it must come true in a general way all over Nazi-occupied Europe before guerrilla warfare against the invaders can reach its peak of effectiveness.

In every country under the German yoke there are patriots who still resist, slaying Nazis from ambush and sabotaging Nazi industries, communications and transport. They have had some help from the fighting Allies. Weapons and provisions have been sent to them—largely by air. But there must be more co-ordination of their efforts if they are to become more than severe annoyances to the Nazis.

Norwegian reports indicate that the Allied high command has such co-ordination in mind and is taking definite steps to bring it about. The Allies naturally aren't broadcasting their efforts in this direction, but it can be taken for granted that such efforts are being made. Guerrilla activities will be invaluable in the successful establishment of a second front.

There is no second front in Europe now, but there is no doubt that such a development is planned and imminent. And in every country now held by the Germans the native patriots will outnumber the Nazi sympathizers considerably—and will make that fact known in unmistakable terms.

War Is Making Prices Higher

EVIDENCE of the fact that war puts a crowbar under prices and prides them up is the present tendency of all markets. They are pointing up. This is true of grains, fibers and securities. Wheat reserves held by the United States and Canada are tremendous, but wheat recently went to the highest point it has touched since 1929. Similarly, with cotton stocks enormous, raw cotton has been making new highs. All livestock is pulling on the price tugs.

Demand for food and clothing is part of the explanation, but other factors enter into it. Part of the climb in prices is due to the fact that war makes for waste and ultimate dearth and the market anticipates it.

As commodities gain in price, securities pick up also. Recently in Wall street there have been million-share days in succession, something reminiscent of the boom stock market days of the nineteen-twenties.

High prices bring inflation, and war inevitably brings high prices.

Thirty-five girls sign up in Philadelphia as railroad conductors and brakemen. Just now do you go about booting a bum off a boxcar in a ladylike manner?

Judging from the number of persons demanding seats, there may have to be a second peace table.

Some Victory gardeners who yearned for an acre have already decided to settle for less territory.

Sandy's Change

By MARSHALL MASLIN

I like to remember Sandy—although I never knew him and have merely heard people talk about him. . . . He died before I was out of short pants, but he did something, about the time I was still wearing long curls, that gives me pleasure whenever I think of it.

A little thing that may seem trivial, that Sandy never remembered again, but that his friend remembered and told me.

Sandy used to go on sprees. Once in a while, between other sprees of terrifically hard work, he'd kick over the traces and go on a bender. He had a friend who would hunt him out after a few days, get him sober, and lead him back to work.

And one day, back in the nineties, this friend found Sandy and persuaded him to go to the country with him—to a spot where there were no saloons and Sandy could walk it off. . . . But the friend had no luck. They stumbled upon a lively picnic and Sandy caught sight of a bar and made for it with whoops of joy. He made a bosom friendship at once with a complete stranger, threw a dollar on the bar and ordered a couple of drinks. His friend wandered away in disgust.

But in two minutes Sandy came after him. Something amazing had happened, something amusing. Sandy was in a hysteria of delight at the audacity of that stranger. Sandy had thrown that dollar on the bar. The bartender had set up the drinks. The stranger had STOLEN THE CHANGE.

"Come along," shouted Sandy, "I want you to meet this fellow. He's wonderful. Know what he did—he STOLE MY CHANGE! Must meet him!"

So the friend met the "wonderful fellow" who had stolen the change—and he wasn't wonderful at all. Just an ordinary sneak thief who stole some silver from a man he had thought too drunk to know it. Just a bum.

The wonderful fellow was Sandy himself, who could admire the audacity of a man who stole money from beneath a Scotchman's nose—Sandy who could laugh at an injury to himself—who could see the funny side of a mean action and make the best of it.

That's why I like to remember Sandy. He's a great help to me when someone steals my change. He helps me to remember that the spare change of life is all I can lose in this world. He has helped me to know that nobody can ever steal anything worthwhile and that if they try to steal my small change I can laugh at them!



Marshall Maslin

"Executed" Foe Of Franco Now In Mexico City

By JACK STARR-HUNT
Central Press Correspondent

MEXICO CITY—There is something of the voice from beyond the grave in the utterances of Jose Rodriguez Vega, dark, dapper head of the Spanish Socialist trade unions.

Miraculously escaped from El Caudillo Francisco Franco's firing squads, Rodriguez's recent arrival in Mexico creates a sensation among the numerous Spanish Republican colonies here.

The collapse of Spanish Republican resistance caught Rodriguez Vega in Alicante, Spain. He was a member of the committee that negotiated with the Italian general at the head of the Black Arrow and was promised facilities to leave Spain for all 20,000 Loyalists stranded in Alicante if they were to lay down their arms. After the Republicans had carried out their half of the bargain, members of the committee that conducted the parley were arrested and for the most part shot.

Jose Rodriguez Vega, in time, was taken to Madrid where he spent two years in prison and witnessed things "that would make an iron-nerved man shudder." He himself was condemned to be shot, but an error in the macabre book-keeping of Franco's executioners saved his life. Another Jose Rodriguez had been executed, and the authorities, mistaking their victim for him, closed his case. It thus proved relatively easy for him to leave the prison.

Escaped in December

For nine months until December of last year, he lived in hiding in Madrid. The fact that Republican underground propaganda was intensified during the period following his escape, caused the government to take elaborate pains to locate him. His many friends, however, were able to prevent his capture at the risk of their own lives and ultimately managed to smuggle him into Portugal.

Jimenez Caballero, of the National Council of the Falange, visited the camp and attempted to stir up the prisoners against the democracies. "We Falangists and you former Republicans must unite against the democracies," Caballero told them. "You, because they betrayed you and sent you nothing but a little junk for arms; we, because of our principles."

"The Italian officers," says Rodriguez Vega, "who commanded the forces that captured Alicante were even more willing in their overtures: 'We have nothing at all against the Spanish Republicans. We merely came to Spain to conquer positions against France. The treatment of the Loyalists at the hands of the Italians, indeed, contrasted with the brutalities that the Falange inflicted upon them."

Political Corruption

"The most outstanding characteristic of Spanish politics under Franco is neither their totalitarianism nor their nationalism, but the dreary corruption of the politicians. In the past Spanish politicians, whether of the left or the right, have been conscientiously honest in money matters."

"Today there is such rampant huckstering in connection with import and export permits, the administration of justice, relief and functions that a cynicism without precedent has taken hold of the country."

"There have thus been cases where wealthy Loyalists have been condemned to thirty years' imprisonment and have been able to walk the street in perfect freedom ten days later. Government officials can be seen in cafes eating meals that cost 300-400 pesetas—their month's official salary."

Rodriguez Vega was still in Spain when the Americans landed in North Africa and reports that a wave of feverish joy swept over the country.

Portal-to-Portal Pay for Miners

From the Johnstown, Pa., Democrat

With negotiations on a new contract for the northern bituminous field extended for thirty days beyond the April 1 deadline, more and more is certain to be heard about the proposed "portal-to-portal" basis for computing miners' earnings.

At present, miners are paid only for the time they spend at their actual working places—deep within the mine. Frequently an hour or more is required for the miner to reach the "face" of the coal, where the digging actually is done, and it requires that much time to get back to the mouth of the mine when the day's work is over.

In the case of the miner, he is being penalized daily for a situation over which he has no control. He loses more time each day, as the operations are pushed deeper and deeper into the hillsides.

The circumstance compares with absenteeism in industry. There, when production declines because of wear and tear on machinery and equipment, the worker does not have to bear the burden in the form of decreased earnings. The miner, however, is forced to absorb the loss.

Few fair-thinking persons will deny that a miner has a right to be paid for the time he spends on com-

pany property. And while computing his earnings on such a basis would not increase the miners' hourly rate, it would increase his weekly earnings, which, after all, tell the story of how much cash is in the pay envelope for the grocer and the milkman.

"Portal-to-portal" payment would give the miner part of the raise he asks for—without breaking the Little Steel formula, opening the floodgates to demands for nationwide revisions of pay scales and inviting further inflation on a gigantic scale.

"Portal-to-portal" payment would be just. It clearly offers the "way out" of the present dispute.

DEFEATS RUMPL PLAN



REP. ROBERT L. DOUGHTON, of North Carolina, is shown after he helped to defeat Ruml plan legislation in the House of Representatives.

THE RATS THAT EAT THE MALT THAT LIES IN THE HOUSE THAT JACK BUILT



Automotive Chief Trains the Spotlight On Material Shortages at War Plants

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, April 1.—How the policy of enforced secrecy and suppression is hurting the war effort and concealing important information from the American people is revealed in an episode in which high officials of the War Production Board, interested doubtless in covering up their own incompetence, have managed to bulldoze an important war industry into silence when the facts justify the widest publicity.



David Lawrence

On March 15 and March 17 the Automotive Council on War Production addressed letters to the WPB disclosing a crisis in the handling of war materials. The letters happened to be sent to about 400 manufacturers and a few copies came into the hands of some newspapermen so that the letters might be given publicity.

As soon as the first letter was published, the officials of the auto manufacturing industry now engaged in war production were taken to task by the WPB and scolded because the information was revealed to the public. So severe was the dressing down that the spokesman for the Automotive Council for War Production found it necessary, before an assembled press conference, to promise that "this is the last time any such important document is going to be sent to 400 companies."

Suppression Fails

But this policy of suppression has not prevented the facts from becoming widely known. Within the last twenty-four hours C. C. Carlton, president of the Automotive Parts and Equipment Manufacturers Association, predicted that material shortages would cause widespread shutdowns and labor unrest in war industries in April. Mr. Carlton is reported by the United Press as saying that "bad control" of the material situation was largely responsible for absenteeism in war industries. He declared that the material situation was "really serious" and that it is "hard to convince the workers of the importance of their job when you have to lay them off frequently because of lack of materials."

Mr. Carlton's statement comes after the WPB had promised to make corrections in the middle described in the March 17 letter of the Automotive Council for War Production. That letter of the council which has been suppressed due to intimidation by the WPB—the agency criticized—is given here in part.

"A survey of the automotive industry," the letter states, "shows

that production of war materials after April 1 will be needlessly interrupted in many plants because the controlled materials plan is falling down. This fact has been brought forcibly to our attention by our materials control committee and is outlined in their letter of March 15 to WPB.

Output in Jeopardy

"The board of directors of the automotive council consider it their obligation to bring to your immediate attention the fact that the armament output of this industry is in jeopardy as a result of the failure of government agencies to adopt the fundamentals of successful materials control and distribution.

"The facts are that most companies do not yet have all their allotments for the second quarter. A telegraphic survey made March 10-11 revealed that only thirteen per cent has been allotted sufficient materials and adequate preference ratings to produce their authorized schedules. Compliance with CMP requirements will prevent the production by this industry of the number of war products it could produce with the materials available for such production if these materials were properly distributed.

"The weakness of fundamental planning by those responsible for the original schedules will result in the laying off of thousands of employees in our plants. When this happens, it will confuse the manpower problem of the country and reduce individual efficiency of employees, for they cannot be expected to put forth maximum effort when to do so only results in their being at least temporarily out of a job.

Government Failure Charged

"This is not because the Controlled Materials Plan does not contain the necessary elements of sound materials control but is principally the failure of government to do its part of the job, and over-concentration on elaborately detailed methods of administration and policing.

"Fortunately no new plan for controlling the flow of materials is required to correct this situation, because the means to accomplish our objective of maximum war production lie within the present framework of the Controlled Materials Plan.

"We know you would want us to inform you of the urgency of this situation because of its effect upon the supply of weapons to the army and navy as well as upon the war workers."

When the newspaper attempted on March 19 to get the facts on this situation, they were told everything was going to be all right. But now the statement of Mr. Carlton, head of a large association of manufacturers of war weapons, shows that everything isn't all right at all and that the efforts at suppression of the truth have served to hide a serious situation about which the American people have not only not been informed but actually misled.

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Morning Motto

Put an Englishman into the Garden of Eden, and he would find fault with the whole blasted concern; put a Yankee in, and he would see where he could alter it to advantage; put an Irishman in, and he would want to boss the thing; put a Dutchman in, and he would proceed to plant it.—JOSH BILLINGS.

New York Mayor May Rally Italian Troops to Allies

By CHARLES P. STEWART
Central Press Columnist

Mayor Fiorello H. LaGuardia, of New York, probably may be an ex-mayor very soon. He is likely to wind up a tolerably high-ranking American officer, on duty in North Africa.

Fiorello is a trifle old to be making a fresh start on a military career. He was with the air force during the last war, but today he is a bit past 61, which is not overly elderly for a civilian, but which generally rates as approaching the retirement age for active fighters.

Real scrapping is what he wants a hand in, however, and the story is that very exalted authority tipped the proper officials off not to cavil over a matter of a couple of decades in his particular case.

Upon the first intimation that Gotham's chief executive was anxious for a wartime post, it was suggested in Washington that an administrative job, such as the directorship of some alphabetical set-up or other would be best fitted for him.

Fighting Job Wanted

LaGuardia soon made it clear, though, that a fighting job was the article he was in the market for. Furthermore, a little consideration convinced the administration that he possessed characteristics that may make him more valuable on the firing line than in an office in the capital.

It hardly will be necessary to remind anyone that Mayor LaGuardia, though born in this country, was born of Italian parents, and if ever there was a native of the peninsula with more Italian characteristics than he has, it would require a thorough investigation by Diogenes to locate him. LaGuardia looks the part to perfection, he speaks the Italian language as well as he speaks English, and in comprehension of the Latin mentality, it is his own, completely.

LaGuardia is as good an American as ever lived on Manhattan Island, as ever represented one of its districts in Congress or as ever presided in its mayoralty office. Yet if he had first seen the light in Italy, he could not have been any more thoroughly Italian. He is a high type, too. His kinkfolk in Italy as well as America are mighty proud of him.

Italians Fed Up

Now, the Italians, as is well known, are utterly "fed up" with the Axis.

Benito Mussolini and a handful of his followers got them into it. They did not like the Nazis to begin with. Now they regard themselves as virtual slaves of der fuhrer. Given half a chance, it is well recognized that they would not only quit the Axis in a minute, but perhaps flop actively over to the United Nations side.

But they do need leadership.

And who could be more suitable to furnish them with it than Fiorello H. LaGuardia.

True, he could not manage it as director of some civilian bureau in Washington. He would be in a first class position to do it, though, in command of a sizeable force of Americans in Italian North Africa.

It would not be surprising if the Italian troops in that area were to go over to him bodily. I mean that. They have not turned out, there or elsewhere, to be formidable warriors for the Axis, but that was because they have hated their partners.

Fall of Duce Possible

Those Italian troops are very creditable campaigners in a cause that they are in sympathy with. Naturally they would have to have supplies from ourselves and Britain, but they would be serviceable and highly welcome additional fighting manpower.

It could mean Mussolini's overthrow.

Besides, the encouragement to the Free French and to all the rest of over-run Europe would be tremendous.

The Germans' own morale would be apt to suffer.

Incidentally, when the Axis is beaten, it has been mentioned that the democracies will have to do considerable administrative work upon the various soils to reorganize them into a state of civilization. For this task there could not possibly be, so far as Italy is concerned, a more appropriate individual than Fiorello LaGuardia.

It would be wonderful to see Fiorello LaGuardia succeed Benito Mussolini!

Factographs

Vanilla flavoring tablets have been developed to save shipping space and alcohol. A ten-cubic-inch package of 192 tablets weighs two and one-half ounces.

The Hawaiian Islands were declared a bird reservation in 1909 to protect them from Japanese poachers who had killed 300,000 birds in one season.

In England, nine out of every ten ships built for the Royal Navy in the past decade were built in private shipyards.

The first parachute descent from an airplane was made by Captain Berry at St. Louis, Mo., in 1912.

Army Unit Adopts Three Colored Boys

LONDON (AP)—A Negro unit of the United States Army in Great Britain has legally adopted three little Negro boys whose father, a

merchant seaman, was lost at sea and whose mother, too, is dead.

The three orphaned Simmons boys—Edwin, 8, Frederick, 7, and Albert, 5—haven't met their new fosterfathers yet, but they will soon. The adoption was arranged through the Ministry of Pensions, acting on the request of the Negro doughboys who asked if there were any Negro children in England they could adopt.

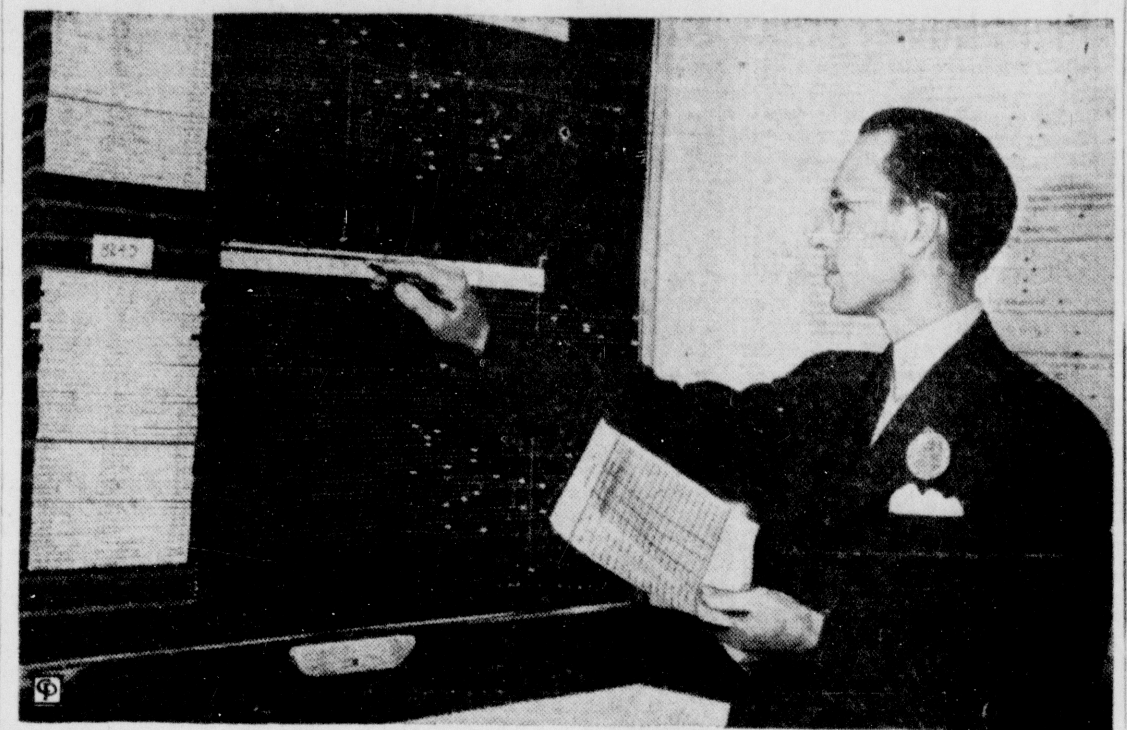
Already the men have subscribed more than \$600 for the boys' upkeep. They are living in Yorkshire at present.

Triple Birthday

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP)—Come every October 29th the C. P. Land family really celebrates birthdays—three of them. Land, C. P. Land Jr., and the younger Land's son all were born on that date.

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Sub-Contracting: Victory Short Cut



KEEPING TAB — Howard G. Golem, Consolidated Aircraft's supervisor of sub-contracting, analyses charts showing production progress of major sub-assemblies outside the parent plant.

Converting Pot and Pan Makers Into War Plane Builders Is an Exact Science and a Fine Art

By HAROLD KEEN
Central Press Correspondent
SAN DIEGO, Cal.—How the home front battle of production is being won through extensive use of such manufacturing weapons as sub-contracting is vividly illustrated here in the output of giant consolidated Liberator, Coronado and Catalina bombers.

Sub-contracting—the gearing of

tin can, hot water heater and metal kitchenware (to mention only a few) factories into the fabrication of major airplane sub-assemblies—is coming into its own as a war enterprise, with total business increasingly comparable to that of the prime contractors.

By the end of 1943, at Consolidated Aircraft corporation, for example, more than 4,500,000 man hours of work annually will be "farmed out," according to schedules of Howard G. Golem, veteran Consolidated executive who now supervises the concern's sub-contracting.

One Plane—100 Plants
Approximately 100 plants throughout the United States, scattered from Portland, Ore., to Connersville, Ind., to Boston, Mass., and numerous way points, are producing or tooling up for mass production of almost half the sections that make up the famed Liberator bomber.

Without their vast network of subcontractors, Consolidated and other aircraft manufacturers could not expect to meet the military demands for greatly increased numbers of combat planes this year.

"Major sub-assemblies which in peacetime were ordinarily built in our own plants now must be produced on the outside in order to speed up manufacturing schedules," Golem explained.

Every man hour of work moved

out of the parent factory to one of its "adopted children" can be applied to the speeding up of work on sub-assemblies which will stay home. Every square foot of floor space vacated by tools no longer needed by the prime contractor can be utilized for intensification of the sub-assembly jobs that remain behind.

An amazingly large percentage of the Consolidated two and four-motored bombers are manufactured in various regions and converge in a delicately timed transportation system to the San Diego plant, where the jig saw puzzle fits together on mechanized assembly lines.

The thousands of parts that flow to these lines must be perfectly mated, regardless of how widely separated their factory origins. Consolidated's master tooling of the sub-contracting establishments guarantees that.

"An expensive and dangerous de-

lay that may have tied up our final assembly line was averted when an expediter located a new batch and rushed a duplicate order by air express."

Today's big bomber no longer is a product of the craftsmen in one community, as it was during the

custom-building days of small orders prior to war. Unlimited ceiling on the needs for such aerial dreadnaughts has called on the labor and resources of towns all over America, making the final product truly an "All-American" messenger of death to the Axis.

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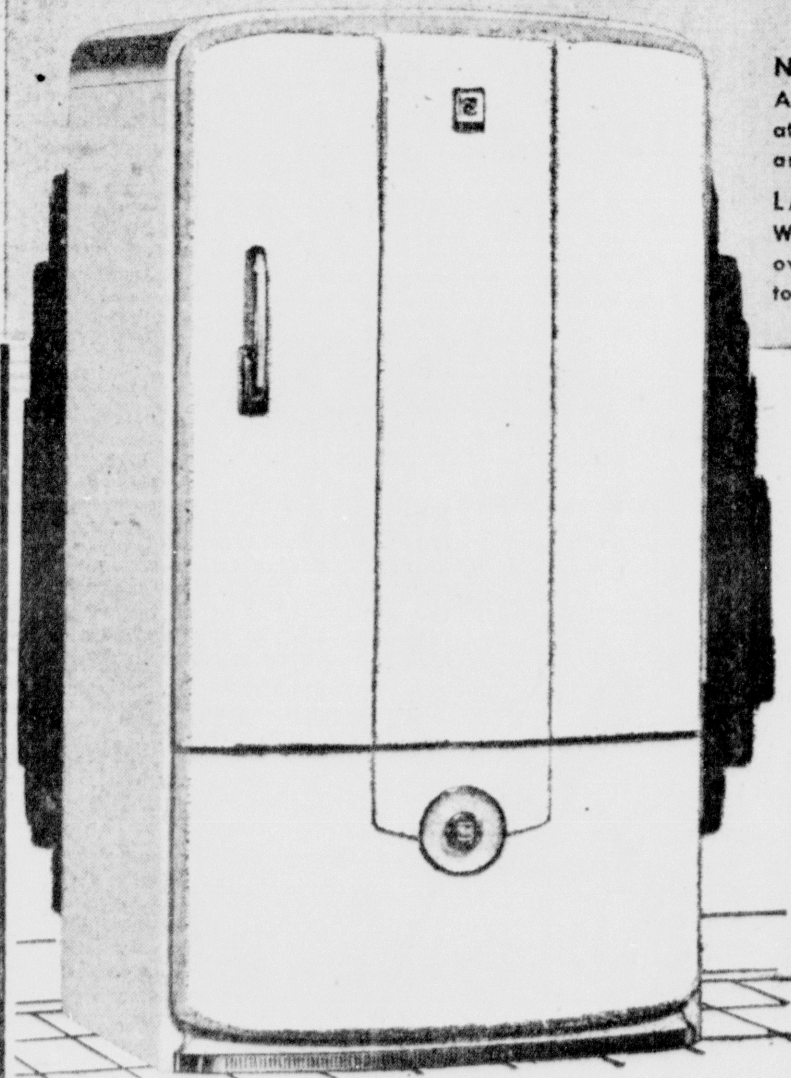
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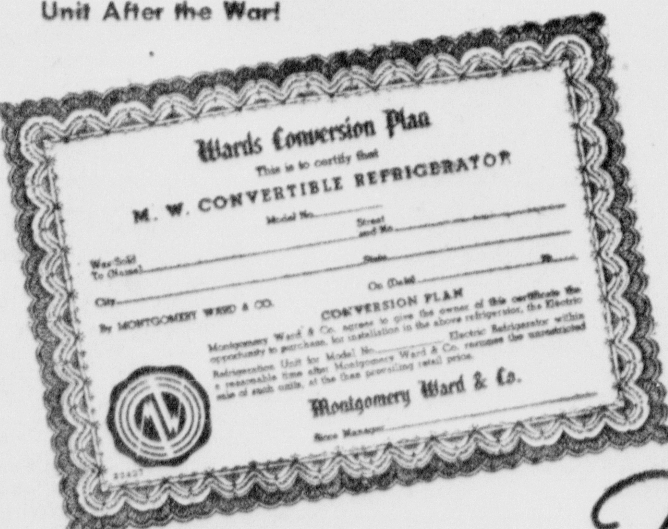
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CANNED AND BOTTLED				CAN SIZE			
	2	2 1/2	3		2	2 1/2	3
APPLESAUCE	14	24		ASPARAGUS	14	21	
APRICOTS	14	21		BEANS: FRESH LIMA	19	28	
BERRIES	14	21		BEANS: GREEN, WAX	14	21	
CHERRIES (except Maraschino)	14	21		BEETS (Also Pickled)	10	15	
FRUIT SALAD	24			CATSUP, CHILI SAUCE	7	for 8 oz. 10 for 12, 14 oz.	
FRUIT COCKTAIL	24			CORN (No. 2 vac.)	14		
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	10			CORN ON COB (2 per ear)	14		
GRAPEFRUIT	4	9		PEAS	16		
GRAPE JUICE (2 pint. 8 qt.)	8			SPINACH	16	17	
PEACHES	24			TOMATOES	16	24	
PEARS	19	28		TOMATO JUICE	10		22
PINEAPPLE	19	28		TOMATO PASTE, SAUCE	10		
PINEAPPLE JUICE	10			(6 for 8 oz. 8 for 8 oz.)			
OTHER FRUITS	15			TOMATO PRODUCTS	16	24	
OTHER FRUIT JUICES (12 oz. 3)	4	9		(1 picnic-10)			
3+ = No. 3 cylinder can				OTHER VEGETABLES	14	21	
BABY FOOD (1 small jar 2 large jar)	8			OTHER VEG. JUICES	8	20	
FROZEN				SOUPS (1 size, No. 1 picnic 3)			
CHERRIES, PEACHES, STRAWBERRIES	13			DRYED, DEHYDRATED			
RHUBARB	6			PEAS, BEANS, LENTILS- 4 per lb.			
ALL OTHER FRUITS	10			ALL FRUITS REQUIRE NO POINTS			
ASPARAGUS, LIMAS, PEAS, SPINACH	10			SOUP 1 up to 2 oz. 2 up to 4 oz.			
BAKED BEANS, SQUASH	8						
CORN, GREEN & WAX BEANS	7						
CORN ON COB (2 per ear)	14						
ALL OTHER VEGETABLES	6						

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in the schools until a school dentist was appointed.

First Hot Lunch Project

The first hot lunch program in the county was inaugurated by Miss Margaret Blinke, one of the teachers in rural sections. Children donated the vegetables and pennies contributed through school activities paid for the meat. At the morning recess soup was made.

In 1924, Miss Morrissey said, Dr. Mason Knox, of the Infant Hygiene Bureau, Baltimore, made up a schedule to visit Lonaconing, Frostburg, Cresaptown and South Cumberland for baby clinics. The Cresaptown clinic was held in the basement of a church and ninety-six infants were seen. The church committee served soup, sandwiches and milk to the mothers and children who had traveled in from the mountain section.

Sponsored by interested persons of the community, the first clinic for crippled children was held in Lonaconing in 1926 at the home of Miss Anne M. Sloan. The second clinic was held in Frostburg and was sponsored by the Maryland League for Crippled Children.

The late Alexander Adams, of LaVale, was chairman of the Kiwanis club committee which made arrangements for the initial crippled children's clinic in Cumberland.

"The children and their parents held Mr. Adams in high esteem and he received many presents from his young admirers in appreciation of his humanitarian efforts," Miss Morrissey said.

Lauds Henry Bachman Miss Morrissey emphasizes that the late Henry A. Bachman, president of the board of Allegany county commissioners, for a number of years was called the father of the Allegany County Health Department as it was his life's dream to see a well organized county health unit.

"This dream has been realized as

we now have a complete unit—one of the best organized in the state—one that is now a training field for the public health students from The Catholic University of America, of Washington, D. C., Miss Morrissey concluded.

With Our Boys In the Service

First Class Seaman Charles "Duke" Cooling, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert C. Cooling, Barton, has been promoted to pharmacist's mate and is now stationed at the Naval hospital, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Marie McCormick, of Barton, has received word that her husband, Pvt. Oris McCormick, has arrived safely in India with the United States armed forces.

Petty Officer Virgil E. Atkinson, engineer's mate, third class, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Atkinson, 203 Columbia street, for a few days before leaving for the West Coast where he is to be stationed.

Raymond K. Kuhns, this city, is stationed at the cavalry replacement center at Fort Riley, Kans., the only one of its kind in this country.

Pfc. Charles W. Thompson, United States Marine Corps, left yesterday morning to return to camp at New River, N. C., after visiting with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Rodenhauer, 327 City View terrace.

Having completed her basic training with the WAAC at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., Auxiliary Bertha J. Peltz has been assigned for specialist training at Stephen F. Austin State Teachers' college, Nacogdoches, Tex. Auxiliary Peltz is the sister of Mrs. Owanda Baird, 212 River-view place.

Calvin M. (Bud) Carder, son of

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Carder, Ridgeley, W. Va., Route 1, has been stationed with the Airborne Anti-craft Artillery Machine Gun Battery at Camp Stewart, Ga. He was formerly an Evening Times newsboy and before entering the service, March 16 was employed by the Baltimore and Ohio as a machinist apprentice.

Marshall Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Williams, 220 Schley street, has been transferred to Rock Island, Ill., where he is taking the army air cadet course at Augustana college.

Aviation Cadet Edward C. Greene, husband of Mrs. Vivian Greene, 307 Grand avenue, has completed his basic training at Miami Beach, Fla., and has been transferred to St. Xavier university, Cincinnati, O.

Pvt. Vincent Paul Greene, husband of Mrs. Freda Greene, 307 Grand avenue, has returned to Fort Belvoir, Va., after visiting his wife and baby.

According to word received yesterday by Mr. and Mrs. John L. Ways, Sr., their son John L. Ways, Jr., who is stationed in North Africa has been promoted to private first class.

Carl Mongold, 65 Green street, has been transferred from Salt Lake City, Utah, to the Sioux City, Iowa, Air base.

Charles E. O'Neal, RFD 3, recently completed a course in aviation mechanics at the Amarillo, Texas, Army Air Field.

Staff Sgt. David W. Smith, in transfer from Hawaii to Fort Belvoir, Va., visited friends in this city.

Pvt. Jack D. Lewis, son of Mrs. Jesse Lewis, 250 Columbia street, is stationed in the Fiji Islands. His brother, Sgt. Charles Woodrow Lewis, is home on furlough from the Panama Canal Zone.

Pvt. Jack Edward Scritchfield,

Hyndman, Pa., a recent enlistment in the United States Army, is stationed at Fort Bragg, N. C.

Eldrin J. Fritz, RFD 2, is in training with the United States Maritime Service, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Private Donald Lathrum, Aviation Cadet Candidate, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Lathrum, 202 Virginia

avenue, has completed his basic training at Miami Beach, Florida, and has been transferred to Xavier University, Cincinnati, Ohio.

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and used the petticoat to signal my whereabouts. Aid was not long in coming.

"Arriving in Cumberland about 10 p. m., I learned that state and city police had been notified by Dr. McCulloch and the family of my disappearance."

According to Miss Morrissey, the first dental clinic in Allegany county was conducted in the cloak room of a little red school house by Dr. Arthur P. Dixon, who volunteered to do the work. Dr. Dixon and other dentists took care of the work

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Allegheny County Welfare Board, vs. Anselma W. DeVore, et al.
No. 15,831 Equity. In the Circuit Court for Allegheny County, Maryland.
Cumberland, Md., March 30, 1943.
This is to give notice that an audit was made of the above entitled cause, distributing the funds in the hands of William B. Jenkins, Trustee, will be ready for publication on the 15th day of April, 1943, unless cause to the contrary be shown.
ROBERT JACKSON, Clerk.
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Grandma Makes Today's Women Feel Ashamed

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX, Famous Authority on Problems of Love and Marriage—Copyright, 1943, King Features Syndicate, Inc.

In Washington they've begun to clamp down on soothsayers, fortune tellers, astrologists, trance mediums and such folk as obstacles to the war effort.

Before the curtain is finally rung down on Madame Astrolobe or her masculine compeer, the seventh son of a seventh daughter, I wish in the interests of winning the war, they'd materialize a nice old-fashioned grandma to tell the women what's what. Before she crossed to the Beyond, grandma had never cast a vote, had a permanent, or dreamed of a WAAC, a WAVE or WOW—but she was practical.

When she heard of the hubbub women raised until they could buy sliced bread again, she'd probably

say: "Why, my dear, I mixed my bread, set it in sponge in a warm place over night, worked it out in the morning into loaves and rolls, then let it rise again. As for demanding someone to cut it for me, I've never known two slices to meet the same requirements of thickness."

Diaper Service Hit

"But grandma," the modern matron would say, "I had to put up school lunches for the children and it took time to cut bread for sandwiches."

"I had to put up lunches for men working in the field, my dear, and cook lunches for those who ate at home, and believe me there was more to it than slicing bread."
"But I haven't time to slice bread now that the O. P. A. is clamping down on diaper service. I've always had the children's diapers washed, and now goodness only knows what we're going to do since the O. P. A. is cutting down on hot water and oil."

"Diapers, my dear," sniffed grandma, "diapers? In my day we never spoke about them. We washed them in the good old-fashioned way, hung them on the line to dry and that was the end of it. As far as diaper service—I wouldn't say how such a thing strikes me."

Didn't Have Can Opener

"It's all very well for you to talk. When you kept house you didn't have to bother with rationing and not being able to buy canned goods. I don't know what the world is coming to."

"I never saw any canned goods but what I put up myself. When I kept house for your grandfather I don't believe I owned a can-opener, and we didn't have delicatessen stores. I don't know what the world is coming to, either, my dear. And

just let me say this, before going back to the Shades, the housewife who wants to win the war has a big opportunity. But she's got to stop grousing about shoes, diaper service, canned goods, walking a few blocks, and mastering the food rationing system. In spite of all these gadgets you thing so necessary, aren't you getting a bit soft, my dear? Including, in the head!"

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DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:
I am a service man's wife, no children, and as I'm living alone in a big house, would like to get another service man's wife to share my home with me. Where could I get in touch with a trustworthy person who would appreciate this opportunity? I live in a town near the war factories, and am soon going to get a defense job myself.

(MRS.) H. K.

Have you tried advertising through the classified columns of the newspaper? If you state clearly your proposal and explain your requirements, the offer should attract the interest of more than one service man's wife. If you are a church member, your pastor may be of help in enabling you to locate another woman who would like to share lots with you.

Should She Write

DWEAR MISS FAIRFAX:
A few months ago at one of the U. S. O. parties, I became acquainted with a very intelligent soldier, about five years my senior, who was stationed at a camp near my home town. It seemed to be a case of love at first sight. We had many

pleasant evenings together, went to movies, concerts, church parties, when all of a sudden he decided that things wouldn't work out for us.

He did not give me any definite reason, just said he'd call me up in a few days. But he didn't, and I learned from a friend that he has left the States for overseas. Would it be advisable to write him, when I get his address, and what sort of a letter would be best?

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The soldier must have had some definite reason for wishing to terminate an agreeable friendship. Perhaps he is engaged to another girl; perhaps he had obligations at home and felt it would be unwise to "waste your time," as old-fashioned people used to call attention without intention.

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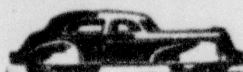
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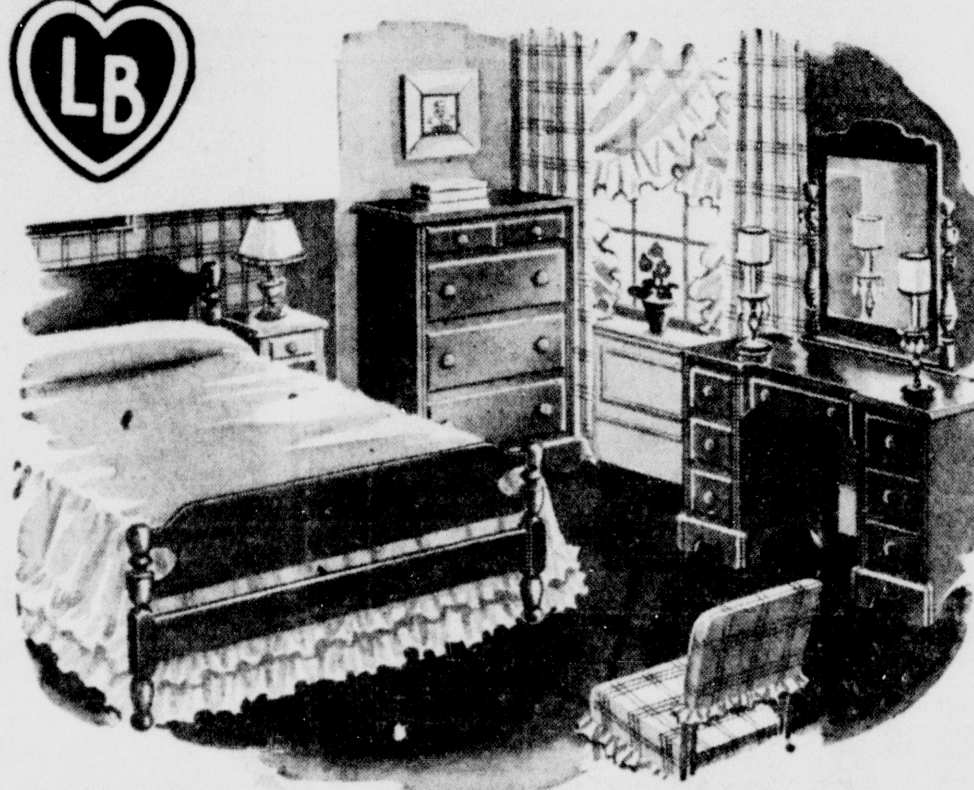
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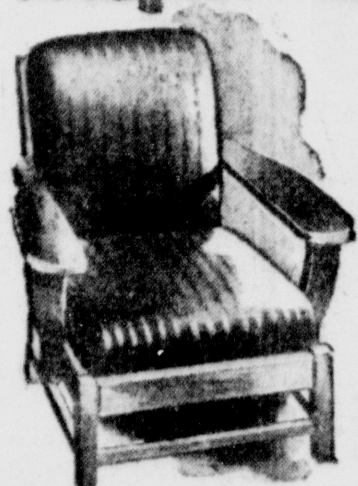
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3 Pc. Maple Suite

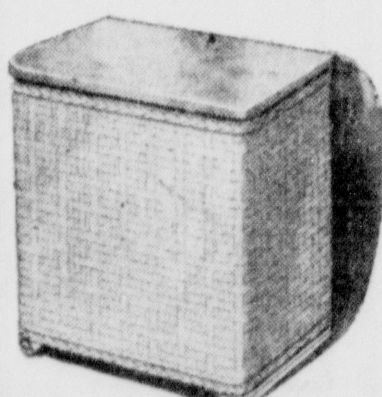
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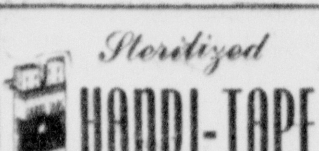
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acquaintance would better come to an end. (This will also answer P. B. who wrote me along similar lines.)

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DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:
My husband is too fond of other women, and doesn't want me to go out anywhere. The last time we went out together was Thanksgiving day. My husband goes out three times a week and has good times, but when I ask him to take me he says that women belong at home, while men have a right to go out every night in the week. He also drinks too much. We've been married seven

years and have one child. My husband is 34 and I am 31. What can I do to make myself attractive to my husband. Is there anything else you can suggest?

This husband of yours seems to be a genuine antique, as far as ideas about women are concerned. Do these women he goes out with share his notions that woman's

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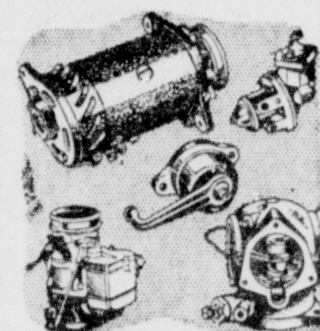
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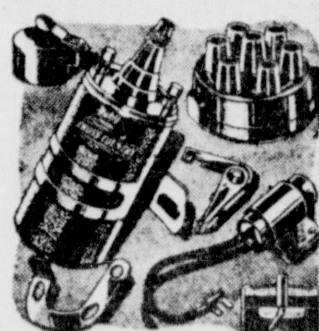


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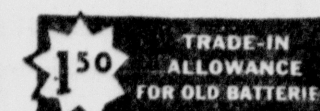
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Dr. Clendening Discusses Nervous Dyspeptics and Their Varied Ills

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.
On the subject of dyspepsia this week we have already considered the gaseous type of dyspepsia and the secretory type. Today I want to discuss the purely functional dyspepsia which goes under the name of nervous dyspepsia.

It means, of course, that the person is uncomfortable because he worries about his digestion, and when he begins to worry about it he always makes it worse.

Automatic Things

There are some mechanisms of this universe that should be turned over to Almighty God. In the body these are the automatic things that happen whether you will them to or not. You can move a muscle voluntarily, you can focus your eyes on some print voluntarily, but by taking all the thought in the world you can't make the last few inches of your intestine move and, equally, you can't make it stay still. If you begin to worry about your watch and wind it every five minutes and shake it and bang it on the window sill, you will eventually get the watch really out of order. The same thing applies to your digestive apparatus.

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By Dr. Clendening
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One small cubed steak, broiled—100 calories; two table-spoons cauliflower—fifty calories; average helping: fruit soufflé—fifty calories.

Of course, every once in a while some nervous dyspeptic turns up and fools everybody by having a serious organic disease like cancer or gallstones; but if he has been having dyspepsia for twenty years, he usually deserves the label "nervous dyspeptic." He is always taking pills; he is always going on a diet; he likes such fads as the com-

patible diet; he is always getting re-x-rayed; he is always having his stomach pumped, and in the meanwhile he looks in the best of health—except for the woe-begone expression on his face—and maintains his weight and general activity.

I once had a patient on whom I tried every known treatment for dyspepsia and finally she told me that when she was a little girl her father had dyspepsia all his life

and her earliest recollection was that at mealtime she had to go to the sideboard and get him a pink pill before meals and then go after meals and bring him a blue pill. Naturally she was obsessed with the idea that her digestion was weaker than other people's. We were able to take her out of it.

Psychological Treatment

These people often have some sort of associated anatomical changes which may or may not

explain their condition. For instance, they often have a dropped stomach. But other people have dropped stomachs too and don't have dyspepsia, so I judge that in every case the dyspepsia is more or less functional.

Treatment of these cases should be directed towards clearing up the patient's misconceptions. In other words, it should be psychological. The worst thing to do to them is to give them some kind of physical

treatment such as putting them on a diet or giving them massage or putting a corset on them.

Questions and Answers

Mrs. D., no address—"Please explain what is meant by night blindness. I have an eleven-month-old boy who is color blind. He is taking vitamin A. Does that mean he will never be able to go to school? Will glasses help any?"

purely a deficiency disease and will be corrected by the use of vitamin A. It certainly does not mean that the child will never be able to go to school. Glasses will not help.

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Cuts New Teeth At Age of 58

FRONT ROYAL, Va. (AP)—Laura Pinkett, a Negro woman, may not need a set of false teeth after all. She ordered an artificial set but when she went to have the teeth fitted, the dentist discovered the Negro woman is cutting a new set—her third—of natural teeth. She's 58.

Father and Son At Same Naval Base

AN ADVANCED SOUTH PACIFIC BASE (AP)—When the word is passed for "Cochrane" at this base, it's necessary to designate "Junior" or "Senior."

Walter S. Cochrane, Sr., 47, of St. James, Mo., and his son, Walter S. Cochrane, Jr., 22, are stationed here on naval duty.

Furthermore, they are both pharmacists. Walter, Sr., is in the same office of a navy medical detachment under Lieutenant Commander Marvin Porterfield, Martinsburg, W. Va.

These Soldiers Are Polished

DENVER (AP)—A soldier needn't blush when a buddy asks: "May I borrow your fingernail polish?"

At Camp Buckley the men use the nail polish to varnish the backs of their identification tags so that they don't discolor the skin and cause infection.

Tennessee Woman Has 43 Great-Grandchildren

BENTON, Tenn. (AP)—"Aunt" Jane Rogers Lewis sniffed a bit disdainfully when she read of a man who claimed 12 living great-grandchildren.

At 74, Mrs. Lewis is the mother of 13 children, 55 grandchildren and 43 great-grandchildren. She has six grandsons in the armed services.

Swanky Hotel Runs Victory Garden

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (AP)—One of the nation's swankiest resort hotels, in the shadow of Pike's Peak, is setting out a Victory Garden. "We hope to supply at least 50 per cent of our kitchen needs with fresh vegetables," said Charles R. Drake, the manager.

Already his hotel is supplying most of its needs in fat pork, raising its own on leftovers from the tables.

Cremation was a general practice in countries of the ancient world with the exception of Egypt.

WAACs Lead A Stable Life

FORT OGLETHORPE, Ga. (AP)—Without a complement of cavalrymen for the first time in almost a century, Fort Oglethorpe houses the WAACs.

Women soldiers are now in the barracks and administration buildings. What once were stables for the cavalry mounts now are classrooms for the WAAC trainees.

As a cure for pimples, ancient Romans used barley-flour and butter.

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Rustic Wren Houses For Only **25c**

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30c Size **30c**
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75c Bell-Ans Tablets 54c
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50c Burma Shave, jar 39c
60c Neet Depilatory Cream 49c
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Salad Dressing 27c
Seedless Raisins 15c 15c
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Cheese Spread 2 71c
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Household Amonia 14c

Minced Ham 29c
Veal Chops 40c
Lamb Chops 45c
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Munez-Wurth Seidlitz Powders 9 Doses 25c Value **19c**

Peoples Paste FLOOR WAX One Pound 75c Size **45c**

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Dundee Wash Cloths 5c 6 for 29c

Squibb Aspirin Tablets Bottle of 100 **49c** Bottle of 200 **69c**

50c Size Frostilla Hand Lotion **39c**

25c Size Djer-Kiss Talcum Powder **23c**

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Hudson Fashionette PAPER NAPKINS 8c

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Internal sanitary protection. Nothing to show or cause discomfort. Simple to use. Perfected by a doctor.

Pack of 10 **31c** Box of 40 **98c**

Girl Wanted, Man Not!

PINE BLUFF, Ark. (AP)—Inability to get an introduction meant nothing to a cadet at Grider Field near here.

Spotting a group of girls in an upstairs room of the Arkansas Power and Light company local office, the cadet busied himself making a large sign, "Girl Wanted," with which he amused Main street shoppers as he paraded opposite the office windows.

The results, however, were nil.

TRY MOWER'S

Fresh Baked Goods and SLICED BREAD

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162 Bedford St.

Natives' Eyes Pop At Corn Popper

CANTON, O., (AP)—Sgt. Robert Holder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Holder, writes that he has discovered a sure-fire method for currying favor among the natives at his south sea island base.

All that is necessary, according to his technique, is to introduce them to the art of corn popping. Holder's parents have sent him enough popcorn to maintain his new reputation as a magician for several months.

Finds Needle Hoard In Old Pin Cushion

ALTOONA, Pa.—Housewives having difficulty obtaining sewing needles due to the steel shortage might take a tip from Mrs. Mark Dively of nearby Brookings Mills.

Unable to purchase needles at local stores, Mrs. Dively opened a discarded pin cushion, found 76 needles. Acting in her suggestion, a sister, Mrs. Grace Mullin of Altoona, did likewise. She found 196 usable needles.

WAACs Take Refresher Course in Water Safety



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The members of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps shown above are part of a class in water safety methods at the Second WAAC Training Center, Daytona Beach, Florida. All are third officers who are taking a refresher course, so that they may instruct other members of the WAAC. (Inset) Third Officer Alice Kidwell, qualified by the Red Cross as a water safety instructor.

At Least the Verse Doesn't Bounce

ARDMORE, Okla. (AP)—The trusty in the jailhouse had quite a knack for writing (1) doggerel verse and (2) other folks names on checks. It was this latter talent that got the poet in jail.

Jailer Amos Phillips was much pained to learn the jail had lost

its poet laureate when the forger failed to appear in the lineup one day. To show there were no hard feelings, the versifier had thoughtfully left behind the following touching sentiment:

"The people here are very nice and the climate is de luxe. 'But you can't enjoy a jail house, even if you have a million bucks.' Through the diligence of the officers, however, the poet was found and prevailed upon to return."

inasmuch as authorities thought it was better to put up with bad verse than with bad checks.

Cites British Conchies

LONDON (AP)—Ernest Bevin, Minister of Labor, replied to a question in the House of Commons that 65,000 men and 2,500 women have registered as conscientious objectors to military service.

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COAT and CAP SETS

100% wool coats with poke style bonnet to match. Coats are fully lined and have detachable pique collar. Rose and navy blue. Sizes 1 to 3. **\$3.49**



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Military style caps with brass buttons and emblem. Braid trimmed military style cap to match. Powder blue, navy blue and red. Sizes 1 to 3. **\$3.29**

Little Girls' Sheer

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Voiles, piques and batiste. Princess or belted full skirts styles. All colors. Sizes 1 to 3-3 to 6. **\$1.19**

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Smart styles that all little girls will adore. Leghorns and colored straws. **59¢ to 89¢**



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All new spring styles with plain or striped shirt. Belted pants. **\$1.00**
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British Woman Writes MacArthur Symphony

LONDON (AP)—Avril Coleridge-Taylor, daughter of the late composer Samuel Coleridge-Taylor and a composer herself, has written a symphony in tribute to General MacArthur, whose Philippine campaign aroused her admiration.

The new symphony, entitled "An Historic Episode," has been sent to the Australian Broadcasting Commission.

Whether or Not

PUEBLO, Colo. (AP)—The weather bureau predicted "threatening" weather. "What I'd like to know," said the woman who called the newspaper office, "is this: Should I hang out my wash?"

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Flies 21,000 Feet Up Without Oxygen

USAAF BOMBER STATION SOMEWHERE IN BRITAIN (AP)—Fortress Copilot L. MacIntyre inadvertently broke the first rule of altitude flying, but he lived to tell about it.

He flew for nearly an hour at 21,000 feet with his oxygen supply cut off, but suffered no ill effects.

MacIntyre switched on his oxygen as the Fortress climbed to 21,000 feet on a test flight. He inhaled deeply and felt better—or so he thought. But Pilot Captain Charles D. Clark, McAllen, Texas, noticed that MacIntyre's piloting was erratic, so he took over the controls. When they landed MacIntyre discovered he had been breathing in and out of a disconnected mask.

Teacher Sends Dice To the Army

GREAT FALLS, Mont. (AP)—Many years ago a Great Falls teacher came unexpectedly into the class room and found her students in a game of dice.

After delivering a lecture on the fickleness of Lady Luck and the pitfalls of playing with galloping dominoes, the teacher confiscated the two pairs of dice.

All these years she has held the dice in her box of things confiscated from pupils. The other day she read that the Army needs recreation equipment and among the articles wanted was dice.

She contributed the two pairs. **Cadet Finds Home Just Around the Corner**

MANHATTAN, Kas. (AP)—A young cadet in the air corps, who had just alighted with a number of companions from a troop train at 3 a. m., asked the first person he saw: "What town is this?"
When the fellow said "Manhattan," the young cadet threw his hat into the air and whooped with joy.
After training at a distant airfield, he had been assigned to a Kansas field. And it was within a stone's throw of his home.

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- Dressy Styles!
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- Sizes to 14 Years!

Bring the children in this weekend for their new spring and Easter outfit. . . Selections and values were never better. . . Choose from hundreds of darling new styles. . . Assured of fine quality and top value at thrifty low prices.



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Friday and Saturday event. . . Hundreds of new hats in straws and felts. Gayly trimmed with veils, flowers and ribbons. Scores of casual styles, too. Every one a beauty. All colors. All head sizes.



Gay, Inexpensive Bags and Gloves
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Bright accessories for your spring ensemble. . . In a host of brand new styles. At these low prices you can easily afford several of each. Navy and colors.



New, Lovely Blouses for Your Suit

For your suit and skirts these are the blouses you want. . . Fine crepes in tailored or frilly styles. . . White, pastels or stripes. . . Exceptional values at this feature price. All sizes.

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You'd never dream that you would find fashions like these at anywhere near this low price. . . Suits and coats of superb quality and beauty in a diversity of styles and colors that leave nothing to be desired. Many are 100% wool. Casual, dressmaker and trim, tailored types. Each is an exceptional value, especially chosen for this event. Sizes for juniors, misses, women and larger women.

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Frostburg Moose Will Move to New Quarters May 1

Hocking Residence Is Re- modeled To House Lodge No. 348

FROSTBURG, April 1—The members of Frostburg Lodge, No. 348, Loyal Order of Moose, are planning to vacate their present quarters in the Langeluttig building May 1, and move into their own home, the former Hocking residence.

Work of remodeling the new quarters has advanced far enough to permit the lodge to occupy the building which is considered one of the most attractive in the community.

The interior has been improved with hardwood floors in all the principal rooms, and the furnishings will include some handsome colonial pieces presented to the lodge by G. Dud Hocking at the time the building was sold. The colonial furnishings include two grandfather clocks, a grand piano and other musical instruments, a large davenport, chairs and oil paintings.

The main floor of the building, trimmed in buff and cream, contains the cocktail lounge, the guest room, bar and kitchen.

The second floor, finished in a combination of blue and buff, will be taken up by the lodge hall, card room, directors' room and the office of the secretary.

Features of the building are the colonial entrance and the spacious hall and winding stairway. The iron lattice work in front of the lower floor front windows and the ballustrades for the main outside stairway make the building distinctive.

Frostburg Briefs

Frostburg's Honor Roll committee will meet Friday evening, 8 o'clock, at the city hall.

Mrs. Pearl Rankin, 183 Ormond street, entertained Monday evening with a chicken dinner in honor of her two sons, Samuel and James, who are awaiting call for induction into the army in the near future.

Frostburg Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kenney, Middletown, Pa., are spending the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter F. Kenney, Linden street, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Elrick, Ormond street. Mr. Kenney is a civilian employee of the United States, Air Force as instrument mechanic.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Murphy have moved from Grand avenue, Cumberland, to 126 West Loo street, this city.

Miss Gertrude Williams, teacher at Beall high school, has been ill for the past week. Her place on the faculty is being filled by Mrs. Mary Drum Bollino.

Robert Thomas, senior at Beall high school, is ill with mumps at his home, 140 Center street.

Tech Sgt. James McNeill, Aberdeen Proving Grounds, who came home Friday to spend a fifteen day furlough is ill with measles at the home of his wife, Mrs. Martha Engle McNeill, Bowery street.

Pvt. Clarence Lehr left yesterday for Gulfport, Miss., after spending a thirteen day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lehr, Ormond street.

Miss Nancy Layman, Wright's Crossing, who underwent an operation at Miners hospital, returned home today. Her sister, Mrs. Timothy Cullen, Washington, D. C., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Layman.

Charles Rafferty and niece, Mrs. Edward Gooding, went to Birmingham, N. Y., for the funeral of their cousin, Thomas Smith.

Mrs. Florence Carney, 207 Maple street, is home after spending the winter with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Shuck, Silver Spring.

Mrs. William Payton, New Colonial Inn, is a surgical patient at Miners hospital.

Staff Sgt. Charles E. Lewis, Jr., returned to Camp Edwards, Mass., this week after spending a brief furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Lewis, Eckhart Mines.

Mrs. Dorothy Lloyd Krieling, whose husband was inducted into the military service this week, has moved from Washington street to her former home, Wright's Crossing.

Gilmore Woman Is Honored

GILMORE, April 1—Mrs. Margaret Beeman was guest of honor at a surprise party, Monday night in honor of her sixty-fifth birthday. Among the guests were her daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Hoops and Mrs. Carrie Henderson, Baltimore. Other guests were: Mrs. Mickey Mason, Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nines, Mr. and Mrs. John Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beeman and daughter Colleen, Mr. and Mrs.

Red Cross Quota Is Reached in Grant County

PETERSBURG, W. Va., April 1—Announcement was made yesterday that Grant county's Red Cross war fund drive which was set at \$2200 had gone over the top and a total of \$2,518.25 has been collected.

Pass Examinations

The following young men successfully passing final physical examinations at Clarkburg, W. Va., last Saturday, will leave the county Saturday for Ft. Hayes, Columbus, Ohio, for induction into the armed services:

James O. Ashenfelter, Paul D. Shaffer, Harold Junkins, Richard C. Allen, Ralph H. Shobe, Vernon L. McDonald, John O. Hall, John A. Burgess, Virgil F. Likens, David M. Helmick, Roscoe Nelson, Charles G. Goldizen, Quentin W. Arbogast, Glen V. Shreve, Norris O. Alt, Jim J. Reel, Charles L. Halterman, Darrell T. Kuhn, Paul O. McDonald, Carl B. Nilson, Olin T. Hawk and Don R. Kite, Jr.

Richard C. Allen has been appointed acting corporal and placed in charge of the men for the trip.

Marriage Is Announced

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Rosa Burgess, Laurel Dale to Edgar Leland Bisher, Oakland, Md., which took place March 30, in the Calvary United Brethren church, Keyser, with the pastor, the Rev. R. L. Brill performing the ceremony. Miss Lottie Burgess, Laurel Dale, Miss Louella Snyder and Doyle Burgess, Oakland, Md., and Corp. George Evans, Richmond, Va., witnessed the ceremony.

Misses Sallie and Annie Johnson, Keyser, are here visiting Dr. and Mrs. W. C. VanMeter.

Lieut. John Trenton, who has been here visiting his mother, returned yesterday to the naval hospital at Bethesda, where he is in medical duties.

Mrs. Merl Michael returned yesterday from Harrisonburg, Va., where she has been a patient in the hospital.

Grant Patterson, Cumberland, is visiting friends at Maysville this week.

Sgt. Robert W. Baker, stationed at Lee Hall, Va., is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Baker.

John Shreve and family, Procter, W. Va., are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Adam Shreve.

Miss Mary Kimble, who has been employed in Baltimore for several months, returned yesterday to Petersburg and will again have charge of the management of the City Restaurant, of which her father, C. L. Kimble, Maysville, is owner.

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FINDS \$13,901



ON THE LOOKOUT for metal scraps in a junk yard in New York city, little Frank Kominsky, 19, came across a wooden box. Inside the box was a tobacco tin containing \$13,901.31. Frank turned it over to the police. If the money isn't claimed in six months, it will be returned to the boy.

Brief News Notes From Westernport

WESTERNPORT, Apr. 1—The St. James Guild of the Episcopal church, Westernport, will meet at the home of Mrs. Charles Kuhnle, Friday at 2:30 p. m.

The Social Welfare Club will meet at the home of Miss Edna Maxwell, this evening. Co-hostesses are Mrs. Mary Ritchie, Mrs. Sallie Mamolen, and Mrs. Margaret Wilson.

The Piedmont Rotary Wednesday elected the following directors: Harry Biggs, C. Harley Dixon, Dr. Lewis Engle, Vernon Frye, Lawrence Lewis, Dr. Donald P. Whitworth, Martin Watson. Last night a meeting was held and officers were named; Martin Watson, president; other officers are Lawrence Lewis, vice president; C. Harley Dixon, secretary; Frank Shugart, treasurer and George Boyd, sergeant at arms.

Eight hundred and one books were collected in the Victory Book campaign in Westernport and Luke, Mrs. Kenneth Pifer, local chairman has announced.

The Nurses Alumni Association of Potomac Valley hospital, Keyser, met at the home of Mrs. Anna Jones, Westernport, last evening.

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River City Club Sponsors Victory Garden Program

Parsons Gardeners Will Be Invited To Participate in Contest

PARSONS, April 1—Cecil Stalaker, chairman of the Agriculture and Business committee of the Parsons River City Club announced today that the club will sponsor the Victory Garden program in Parsons this season.

The club plans to sponsor a contest among the gardeners who wish to enroll and from time to time those having outstanding gardens will be awarded a pennant which they will fly over the garden. The club has not decided whether additional prizes will be made other than the pennants.

The committee having charge of the Victory Garden program, in addition to the chairman, is composed of A. Frank Little, Lloyd Fankhauser, Reuben Boyles and Bascom Parsons.

Pierce Miner Injured

Ned Reen, 40, of Pierce was injured while working in the Davis Coal and Coke Company Mine, No. 39 in Pierce, Wednesday morning when a large rock hit his right arm. He was taken to an Elkins hospital where it was found that he had received a fracture of that arm just above the elbow. He was treated and allowed to return home.

Scouts Receive Donation

Mrs. Russell Gumm, sponsor of Troop No. 1 of the Girl Scouts of Parsons announced that the club received a gift of \$5 for Ellis J. VanHoven at their meeting held Tuesday evening in the Community hall in Parsons.

Plans were discussed to raise money for camping purposes this summer. The following scouts received their certificates from Home Nursing: Annetta Simmons, Helena Allman, Jean Plum, Phyllis Ours and Vonda Painter.

Announce Marriage

Mrs. Amanda Kline Ruckel, Davis, announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Doris Irene Ruckel, Fairmont, to George Claude Arnold, United States Army, Miami, Fla., son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Arnold of Davis.

The single ring ceremony was read in the personage of the St. Paul's Lutheran church at Red House, with the Rev. Alvah K. Jones, pastor of the church, officiating.

Mrs. Arnold is a graduate of Davis high school and is now employed by the Westinghouse Electric Company in Fairmont. Mr. Arnold was the manager of a local store in Davis prior to his induction a few months ago.

Drive Nearing Goal

Ellis J. VonHaven, chairman of the American Red Cross drive for Blackfoot district announced today that the Dorman Mills and its personnel had contributed \$300 to the drive. The Armour Leather Company is conducting a drive within its plant and the company alone donated \$100.

All of the social and civic organizations of the county have donated to the drive including the Tucker County Farm Bureau which donated \$5 at their meeting held recently. The River City Club, the Parsons English Club and the women's clubs have all donated \$5.

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McHenry Speaks To Lonaconing Garden-makers

Expert Gardening Methods Discussed by County Agent at Meeting

LONACONING, April 1—Victory gardeners met at Central High school Tuesday night to hear Ralph F. McHenry, county agriculture agent, talk on "The Do's and Don'ts of Expert Gardening Methods." He gave counsel on the location of gardens, soils and fertilizers, cultivating and insect and disease control.

Mr. McHenry told of the Victory gardening courses that are offered by the extension service of the United States Department of Agriculture to any groups in the community. Meetings will be held throughout the spring to give additional information on the planting time, soil preparation, food preservation and storage.

William Shoemaker and James McHenry of the Riverside 4-H club gave a demonstration on "How To Attain the Maximum Results From Gardening." The demonstration included garden planning, soil fertilizing, cultivating and garden equipment.

Following the program an open-forum discussion was held with the audience questioning Mr. McHenry on gardening problems. Mrs. Arthur G. Phillips, Allegany county agriculture chairman of the Maryland State Civilian War Service board, was in charge of the Victory Garden meeting. Mayor John H. Evans promised full co-operation in conjunction with the Victory Garden program in Lonaconing.

Announces Marriage

Mrs. Agnes Nevitt announces the recent marriage of her daughter, Miss Pauline Nevitt, to Tech Sgt. William O'Neil, son of Mr. and Mrs. William O'Neil, Blackbird, Del. Attendees at the wedding ceremony were Mrs. William Daley and Mrs. Edward J. Frederick.

Tech Sgt. O'Neil, who entered the service in November, is stationed at Camp Polk, La. Mrs. O'Neil, a graduate of Central high school, is employed at the National Fireworks Incorporation, Elkhon.

The mothers and fathers of the Central high school W. M. I. L. champions honored their sons with a chicken dinner, party and dance at the White Way Inn on Monday evening.

Team members honored were James Morton, Billie Meese, Robert Thomas, Robert Johnson, August Eichhorn, Jackie Morton, John Muster, Charles Robertson and Charles Miller. This is the first boys' basketball team in the history of the school that has copped the pennant.

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MEET A WAVETTE



HERE'S A WAVETTE, one of the men students on the University of Oklahoma campus who's signed up to entertain the WAVES stationed at Norman, Okla. WAVettes, organized some 300 strong at the university as the male answer to U. S. O. hostesses, Naval Cadettes and other feminine entertainment groups for servicemen, gave a dance exclusively for the WAVES.

Robert Somerville Dies in Lonaconing

LONACONING, April 1—Robert D. Somerville, aged 56, died Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Springfield State hospital at Sykesville.

Mr. Somerville, the son of the late Col. and Mrs. Robert L. Somerville, was a native of Lonaconing. He was a member of the Lonaconing Presbyterian church and the Georges Creek Valley Lodge No. 161, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons.

He was a graduate of Frostburg Normal and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, having majored in engineering. He had been an invalid for nearly thirty years.

Survivors are three sisters and a brother: Mrs. Fannab Huster, New York City; John F. Somerville, Cumberland; Mrs. W. K. Skilling, Baltimore; and Mrs. Fulcher P. Smith, Cumberland.

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Prisoners To Eat Unrationed Food

HAGERSTOWN, Md., April 1 (AP) — Prisoners in the Washington county jail will have to eat unrationed foods until the county ration board clarifies the status of the institution, according to Sheriff John B. Huyett.

Huyett said some prisoners remained in the jail only a day or two and added that it was hardly fair to require them to surrender more food ration coupons than the amount of food actually consumed.

Another point at issue before the ration board, Huyett said, is the difficulty of issuing a certificate for a specified number of prisoners when the jail population is changing daily.

Until these and other points are cleared up, the sheriff said, the prisoners will be served eggs and fresh vegetables and other unrationed foods.

Grandma Makes

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describe, is to cultivate a little more independence of character.

Nothing Definite
DEAR MISS FAIRFAX: If it weren't for this terrible war, I might be happily married to the nicest man I know. We met ten years ago while still in high school, but didn't really go together until after graduation. He told me he loved me from the first time he saw me, but I fell in love gradually.

We had planned to marry, but after Pearl Harbor he hesitated and said he didn't think it would be fair to me, although I was willing. He has been deferred on account of supporting his mother, but expects to leave very shortly for the Army.

He now tells me to go out with others, that he wants me to have a fair chance, but I don't want to do that. I've had all the chance I want. Do you think there may be a doubt in his mind as to whether he really loves me? Is it competition he wants, or do you think he cares for someone else?

WONDERING.

When a man tells a girl to go out with others, he wants it understood that no definite arrangement as to marriage exists. The fact that he was given deferment because he had to support his mother was probably the reason he did not want you to feel bound to him in any way. Sometimes circumstances change decisions, even as men change their minds.

Misses Athletic Pursuits
DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I'm 26 years of age and have always had a good deal of freedom and no responsibilities. I love the outdoors, and since I can remember have hiked, skated, ridden a bicycle, played tennis, gone swimming, etc. After graduation I started to business, and loved the busy, interesting days, but always kept up my sports.

I married a wonderful man, and when young Peter, who is now ten months old, came along, we were ecstatic about having a baby. When he was five weeks old we moved into the country, where I didn't know a soul. It doesn't take long to clean up our house, as everything is so nice and new. You would think I ought to be completely happy. I am fully aware of, and grateful for, my blessings, but I'm always so alone.

I play with Peter, sing to him, and am delighted with him. But I long for someone to talk to. I never was the type to spend hours poring over books and magazines; I read for a while but it soon bores me. I take Peter out on nice days, but this winter we have been confined to the house so much it drives me crazy.

My husband thinks I should be completely satisfied, and I am when he comes home. We enjoy being together. It annoyed him to have me say I was restless, so I don't complain any more. I'm often ashamed of this desire to get out for a brisk walk, or a few hours shopping, or a friendly girlish conversation. Am I awful to feel this way?

PETER'S MOTHER.

Looking back on my own days of young motherhood, I recall it was easier to manage a baby of ten months than one in the crawling stage when everything not nailed down goes into his mouth.

Isn't there some trustworthy person, possibly a high school girl, you can have come in by the hour to watch over Peter while you go bicycling, window-shopping, or drop in on a friend for tea, or have your hair done? (Nothing like a visit to a beauty parlor to refresh inwardly as well as outwardly!)

You do need some one besides your husband to talk to. No doubt there are other young mothers around you yearning as you are for a friendly conversation. You will be able to meet them through your church (to which you can go alone while your husband minds the baby), and through civilian defense work which you will be able to do if you arrange for Peter to be cared for a couple of hours a day two or three days a week.

Your husband should not question your desire to "do your part" or to keep up with your religious practices.

Two-thirds of the states' chief executives are drawing from experiences as members of the armed forces in past wars in directing their states' participation in the war effort.

DURATION OUTFIT



WARTIME CLASSICS: The discreet navy wool pinstripe suit and bow-tie blouse, by Knize. Rough straw hat by Suzanne et Roger, pumps by Delman.

Louisville is recognizing its police department, unchanged for fifty years, to overcome wartime problems involving loss during the last year of twenty-five per cent of its experienced personnel, increase of nearly 100,000 in civilian and military population, and considerable increase in juvenile delinquency.

REMODELING Sale Specials

Women's Robes
Candlewick and chenille in colors that are brand new. Sizes are small, medium, and large and savings represent 25%.

Women's Loomcraft Slips
Regular 1.47 value. Built up shoulder styles. Sizes are 32-34 in colors. Excellent value.

Women's Play Shoes
Smart play shoes that require no rationing coupon in beautiful high styles and in new color combinations. All sizes.

Part Linen Toweling
Famous Star Tex quality toweling known by every housewife as ideal kitchen toweling. 25c value.

New Spring Curtains
Made of fine marquisette. An unusual value in quality spring curtains in neat figured marquisette. Third floor.

39" 15c MUSLIN
Unbleached fine count 10 Yards Size muslin that will wash fast. Strictly first quality. Free from starch.

Men's \$2.00 Dress Shirts
Enough said. Famous shirts such as Eagle brand, etc. Soiled from handling but perfect quality. Main floor.

Men's Sturdy Work Pants
Sturdy work pants that will give you excellent wear. Some are pre-shrunk and sanforized. All sizes. Main floor.

Men's Odd Dress Pants
Dress pants that are absolutely an exceptional value. Hard and soft finished fabrics. Styles for men and young men. All sizes. Main floor.

Men's Suits and Coats
Close out of only 60 garments. Save half and more. Broken sizes. While they last. Buy during our remodeling sale.

Men's Spring Sweaters
Young men's and men's styles. Slip on, coat, and zipper styles. Spring colors. Values to 1.95. Main floor.

Men's Broadcloth Shirts
Whiter and fancy patterns that are sanforized and pre-shrunk. You will immediately recognize these shirts as a quality shirt. Well made and guaranteed. All sizes. Main floor.

Women's Pajamas
Made of broadcloth in lighter boy two piece styles. Sizes are 15, 16, and 17. They are excellently tailored. Well made and are an excellent value. Main floor.

Women's WashFrocks
\$2.00 frocks in woven and printed fabrics. Specially priced for remodeling. Sizes are 14-44 in all wanted styles.

Boys' School Pants
Long pants that are made in hard finished fabrics. Sizes are 8-18 at a ridiculous low price. They are slightly irregular but will not impair the wear. Third floor.

Boys' Dress Shirts
White and fancy patterns in light and dark patterns. Sizes 6-14. Third floor.

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Teacher Teaches The Teacher

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M. (AP) — After the Army Air Corps announced that it would train meteorological students at the University of New Mexico, the faculty of the English department prepared for the customary tussle with comma splices, dangling participles, and split infinitives.

Dr. T. M. Pearce, head of the department of English, outlined the "Written and Oral Communication" courses for the soldiers, waved before his colleagues a military pamphlet on military correspondence form, mentioning it as one of the textbooks to be used.

A few minutes later Sgt. Clarence H. Grasso approached Dr. Pearce apologetically. "Would it be proper for me to introduce myself?" he asked. "I helped to write the Army book you mentioned that we are going to use in class."

The world cliché, meaning a hackneyed form of expression, is derived from the moulds used in stereotypic printing.

Women Take a Load Off Men's Shoulders

BALTIMORE (AP) — Another of man's jobs has been taken over by women. One of Baltimore's railroad stations now employs 17 women freight truckers who daily push around 180-pound trucks with loads which average 500 pounds or more.

Yet the women most of whom are married and have children, don't complain. "We only hoiler when the load is too heavy," said one of them. "And when we say heavy, brother, we really mean heavy. Five hundred pounds is nothing."

Note to men: Try it sometime.

Circuit Pastor Rides Back

CORDELL, Okla. (AP) — The circuit rider has returned. The Rev. W. C. Heaton, Methodist church pastor, recently acquired a farm near here and with the place went several horses. He uses one to make his pastoral calls on horseback, as the pioneer ministers did.

Censor Gums Up The Works

CAMP PICKETT, Va. (AP) — Private Wayne L. DeMerritt, of Blackwell, Okla., wrote the folks back home recently and enclosed three sticks of chewing gum.

"One for each of you, and one for the censor," DeMerritt explained. When DeMerritt's parents got the letter, there were only two sticks of gum—and a note.

"I got mine, thanks—Captain Dean Beavers, censor."

Revenooers Detect Moonshine in Blackout

ROCKINGHAM, N. C. (AP) — Prohibition agents found here something unusual in moonshining — a 600-gallon liquor still going full blast in a man's house. It was in a backroom, which was thoroughly blacked out with quilts and blankets over the windows. An ingeniously devised metal flue carried the smoke to a chimney of the house.

War Industry Little In All but Production

ST. LOUIS (AP) — "Miniature" describes everything about the one-man war industry of James Beard, Jr., except his production figures.

Beard's hobby for 30 years, tinkering with miniature airplane motors of his own design, gave way last May to the founding of the Ultima Precision Products Company. Since then he has turned out more than 45,000 minute precision parts for war instruments working an average of 90 hours a week in his 15 by 25 foot basement.

His last order was for 25,000 pinion blanks, tiny metal objects only five-eighths of an inch long, for airplane direction finders.

This Teacher Proved His Point, Anyway

PONCA CITY, Okla. (AP) — Dr. W. A. Franklin stood before his junior high school class to show the safe way to handle matches. Remove the match, he was say-

ing, and close the container. But as he opened the container all the matches caught fire.

Dr. White bandaged his burned hand. Then, in a rare exhibition of quick thinking, he told his class that was what happened when one got careless handling matches.

In peacetime the United States imports 30,000,000 pounds of low-grade olive oil for commercial purposes.

Goat, kid, shark, snake, kangaroo, and many other skins are being increasingly used as uppers for women's shoes.

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Smart new spring coats in sizes up to 14. Fashioned in the newest styles and colors. The values are outstanding and are specially priced for remodeling sale. See second floor annex.

REMODELING SALE GIRLS RAYON TAFFETA

DRESSES \$1.97

Beautiful new dresses just unpacked. Sizes 7-14. Ideal for Easter. Smartest styles in pastel colors and represent an extraordinary value. See them now. Second floor.

REMODELING SALE JUVENILE

Boys' Wash Suits 79c to \$1.39



Smart juvenile wash suits beautifully tailored and well made of fine durable fabrics. Choose from broadcloths, poplin, combination of flannel, etc. Sizes are 3-10 and represent unusual values. Third floor.

REMODELING SALE WOMEN'S FASHIONABLE SILK

BLOUSES \$1.19 to \$2.47

Whether its a tailored blouse or a fuzzy blouse, you will find our assortment unusually large to choose from in smart fashionable blouses. Spring's newest colors in all sizes. Excellent values. Main floor.



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\$10.00, \$15.00 and \$25.00
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Up to 20 Weeks To Pay.

During our remodeling sale, with all the windows out being remodeled for a new modern front, it is impossible for Maurice's to display and show these outstanding suits and coats. Wonderful wearing coats and suits for throughout spring and tops in style. Many of the suits can be worn with toppers giving you the three piece ensemble suit that is so popular now.

Smart fashionable spring coats and suits in dress or sport fabrics. Choose from over 500 garments. Specially priced for \$13.99 and \$18.99.

Enough said. The price speaks for itself. The values are outstanding. The styles are superb. Come in today, take your pick. Choose from Chesterfield success coats, fashion new pilot styles. High boy collar coats, reversible and dress coats. Suits are mannish tailored styles, dress maker styles. In fact, every wanted new style for spring. All superbly tailored and expensively detailed. You'll wear these duration minded beautiful styles for years to come.

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Women who want to save will attend this sale and buy the season's outstanding values. The assortments are at their greatest peak and you will find exactly the garment you are looking for. If you want to save, visit Maurice's second floor now.

Maurice's
The Store at Lower Prices

Frank J. Davis Again Elected Moose Governor

Ernest B. Treat, Secretary
Also Re-elected with-
out Opposition

Frank J. Davis was unanimously re-elected governor of Cumberland Lodge No. 271, Loyal Order of Moose, without opposition, at the annual election held in the Moose home, Beall street, last night.

James T. Emmart was named junior governor, succeeding Charles R. McCullough. Charles E. Pettie was chosen prelate, succeeding J. G. Humberton. Ernest B. Treat was re-elected treasurer without opposition.

Two trustees were selected to succeed James Emmart and William Lesauere. They are Arthur Rowe, elected for a three-year term and William G. Beier, elected for two years.

The newly elected officers will be installed at a ceremony April 15, and will take office officially May 1, when the new fiscal year begins.

Announcement was made that a class initiation will be held April 18.

State Senate

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Carroll), and eight other lawyer members of the Judicial Proceedings committee, Shipley had protested earlier that the bill should be referred to the Judicial Proceedings as well as the Finance committee which reported it favorably.

Lindsay offered another amendment giving Baltimore City and the commissioners of the twenty-three counties the authority to grant supplementary pensions to judges if they desired.

Kimble offered an amendment to that amendment excepting Allegany county from its provisions. Basing his argument on the custom of senatorial courtesy, Kimble declared he was not "willing to have the commissioners of my county have the right to supplement the pensions which the courts may receive under this bill if it should become law."

His plea was rejected on a 21 to 5 vote. Visibly angered by the senate action, he then proposed the amendment to place judges in the state employ retirement system and took the floor with an apology for "the amount of time I am going to take in an attempt to convince this Senate of the wisdom of this amendment."

Kimble asserted that five other states had already placed their judges in the state retirement systems, and urged that Maryland do likewise.

Senators Leave Floor

As he proceeded with his talk, the Senate chamber virtually emptied, and twice within the first half hour Kimble moved for a call of the Senate, after which attaches had to be sent scurrying through the corridors to round up the missing members.

Earlier in the day the upper chamber had advanced to final passage stage a proposal to retire two incapacitated judges of the First Judicial Circuit, comprised of the four lower Eastern Shore counties—Worcester, Wicomico, Somerset and Dorchester.

The senators from the four counties were represented on the floor by Sen. Thomas F. Johnson (D-Worcester) who said that because two of the judges were ill and unable to serve, court work had been piling up in the circuit.

The bill, slightly amended today, would provide for the retirement at a salary of \$8,500 a year, of Chief Judge Benjamin A. Johnson and Associate Judge James M. Crockett, neither of whom has been able to serve in recent months because of illness.

Kimble also opposed the bill, declaring it would ease the "uncomfortable situation" if the two judges should voluntarily resign.

The bill had originally provided that Judge Johnson should be retired at full salary of \$10,800 a year, but Johnson offered an amendment cutting this amount to \$8,500, the same annuity which would be paid Judge Crockett.

The amendment was adopted by a 17 to 11 vote.

Johnson then offered another amendment to the bill making it an emergency bill which would take effect immediately on approval by three-fifths of the membership of both houses. As originally written, the bill would have taken effect June 1.

During its session today, the upper chamber approved finally fifty-two bills, most of them local, and adopted four resolutions. Another lengthy calendar awaited action at the night session.

Fifty Recruits

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Applicants, Lucy B. Butler, 3 Race street, and Floyd J. James, Clarksburg, W. Va. Eight other women took out applications this week.

Lieut. Kennedy was accompanied here by Auxiliary Alysie Garrison and Pvt. J. B. Garrick, also of the Hagerstown army recruiting staff.

Police Hold Boy

A 12-year-old boy was held in city jail last night for a hearing in juvenile court at 10 a. m. Saturday on charges of stealing five women's pocketbooks from four Cumberland theaters in the past month. The boy was arrested by Detective R. E. Flynn and Officer Thomas J. See.

U. S. TANK DESTROYERS ON ROMMEL'S TRAIL



WHILE ON THE LOOKOUT for some of Rommel's retreating tanks, crew members of these M-10 tank destroyers rolling through an Arab farm in Tunisia do some rubbernecking. The M-10's large guns are turned to the rear and cannot be seen. These destroyers are knocking out Rommel's tanks.

THREE DRIVERS ARE FINED FOR TRAFFIC LAW VIOLATIONS

Three drivers were tried in trial magistrates' court yesterday by Magistrate Frank A. Perdue on charges of violating state motor laws.

Clarence Wagner, of 116 Virginia avenue, received the stiffest fine. He was fined \$100 and costs on a charge of driving while under the influence of intoxicating beverages. A charge of reckless driving against Wagner was dismissed. Officer L. E. Daniels said he found Wagner sitting in his car on East Second street and advised him to go home and "sleep it off."

Wagner allegedly disobeyed the officer's request and was arrested after he drove off in his machine. Harold O. Plummer, of 116 Blau avenue, was fined \$5 and costs for failing to stop behind a school bus while it was discharging passengers. He was arrested by Trooper M. Frank Beamer on Route 40 in LaVale.

Joseph Doty, of Indiana, Pa., was fined \$5 and costs on a charge of exceeding thirty miles an hour in a restricted zone on Route 220. Trooper Beamer made the arrest.

Mayor Conlon Praises Speaker Conlon for Home Rule Stand

Thomas E. Conlon, speaker of the Maryland House of Delegates, is in receipt of a telegraph message from Thomas F. Conlon, mayor of Cumberland, in which he is praised for his stand on a greater measure of home rule for the counties.

Speaker Conlon Wednesday night urged members of the legislature to advocate that their counties take advantage of the home rule amendment in the Constitution to legislate for themselves, as does the city of Baltimore. All county matters that, in Baltimore, would be disposed of by the city council, now require action by the General Assembly. About eight per cent of all legislation at each session of the Assembly is composed of such local matters.

Spring Gap Man Is Seriously Ill of Malaria in Pacific

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Davis, of Spring Gap, Md., have received word from the War department that their son, Pvt. Mark M. Davis, is seriously ill of malaria in the Pacific war zone. Davis is 30 years of age and before entering the service in March, 1942, he farmed for his father.

His twin brother, Luke, is stationed with United States Army forces in Tunisia. Both men had been inseparable until their enlistment in the army. The telegram from the War department was signed by a medical doctor at a base hospital.

College Entrance Test Will Be Held April 10

A college entrance examination will be held Saturday, April 10, at 9 a. m., in Allegany high school, it was announced yesterday by Ralph R. Webster, principal.

It will be the only examination of its kind between Baltimore and Pittsburgh and a number of persons trying for scholarships are expected to enroll.

Applications must be forwarded to the College Entrance Examination Board, New York, for certification and assignment.

Snyder To Represent LaSalle in Contest

George Snyder yesterday was selected as LaSalle unit's representative for the finals of the Western Maryland Conference C.S.M.C. oratorical contest, which is scheduled for April 13 at Carroll hall.

Two orators participated in the LaSalle high school elimination contest.

Flying Regulations To Be Discussed

New air regulations covering private flying will be discussed at the meeting of the Civilian Air Patrol at 7:30 o'clock tonight in the civil service room on the third floor of the federal building. All local pilots who are interested in the new regulations are invited to attend the meeting.

Naval Air Cadet Board Announces Enlistment Of LaSalle Students

The Naval Aviation Cadet Selection Board yesterday announced the enlistment of two LaSalle high school seniors as apprentice seamen, Class V-5, United States Naval Reserve, for future flight training as naval aviation cadets.

Enlistments are Jennings Bryant Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robinson, 686 Fayette street, and James Ernest Wilson, son of Dr. and Mrs. James H. Wilson, 105 Washington street.

These enlistments were made under the navy's new plan for the enlistment of seventeen-year-old high school seniors and graduates in Class V-5.

Upon their enlistments, both Robinson and Wilson were awarded the V-5 pin of blue and gold, and were ordered home and placed on inactive duty.

When they graduate from high school and reach the age of eighteen they will become eligible for call to active duty and for transfer to the rating of Naval Aviation Cadet, at \$75 a month. They will undergo a course of approximately fourteen months of ground school and actual flight training, upon successful completion of which they will be commissioned in either the naval reserve or the marine corps reserve.

Local Man Fought In Bismarck Sea Battle against Japs

Mrs. Margaret C. Settle, 165 Bedford street, has received a letter from her son, Pvt. First Class Vincent F. Settle, in which he tells of the battle of Bismarck Sea in which United States planes sank all of a Japanese convoy of twenty-two ships.

He tells of how Japanese ships were blown thirty feet into the air by the force of bombs dropped at mast height. Pvt. Settle said the squadrons received a letter from General Douglas MacArthur in which the famous leader said the battle will go down in history as one of the greatest victories of this war.

Leaders of Potomac Council Meet; Hear Clarence Urffer Talk

Scout leaders of Potomac Council heard a talk by Clarence F. Urffer, of Philadelphia, deputy regional executive, at a conference last evening in the Cresaptown school.

Urffer praised the co-ordinated program of Potomac Council and stressed the importance of teaching boys self reliance and ability to take care of themselves as the "war may yet be won by fifteen and sixteen-year-olds who are now in scout troops," he said.

Group meetings were held preceding the conference.

Reports were made by the following committee chairman:

John F. Rodman, advancement; Richard Rizer, organization; Dr. John Cooper, training; Dr. Thomas Bass, finance; John DeVore, health and safety; and W. Donald Smith, camping.

Military Program At YMCA Postponed Until Tuesday

The pre-induction meeting for men about to enter military service, scheduled for last night at Central Y.M.C.A. was postponed until Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock.

Mayor Thomas F. Conlon will deliver a talk on "The Challenge of Military Service," which will be followed by a calisthenic period in the gymnasium and a half-hour swimming party.

The meeting is open to all men who expect to enter the armed forces within the next six months.

Two Divorce Suits Filed in Circuit Court

Two divorce actions were instituted in circuit court here yesterday. Vincent G. Skelley seeks divorce from Gertrude H. Skelley. The bill of complaint indicates the couple married October 9, 1928 and resided together until May 25, 1933. They have no children.

John R. Booth seeks divorce from Thelma D. Booth. They were married July 13, 1940 in Frostburg and lived together until March 24, 1943. They have one minor child.

FRITZIE ZIVIC IS ALSO CHAMP TALKER AS ELKS FIND OUT

Fritz Zivic, former welterweight champion of the world, it not only a titleholder in the ranks of boxing but according to members of Cumberland Lodge No. 63, B. P. O. Elks he is also a "champ" as an after dinner speaker.

For an hour and a half the colorful fighter regaled ninety guests at the annual Elks bowling league banquet on stories of his career and how he rose to the top of the heap. He also remarked that throughout his long boxing career he has always fought clean and honestly and that pays in the long run, especially if a man has children for whom he wishes to set an example.

He told the local Elks that he has films of several of his fights against Armstrong and other boxing greats and he was cordially invited to return in the near future and show them. George R. Lyming, exalted ruler of the local Elks, presided and David Miller, chairman of the board of trustees; Herman Ball, of the board of governors; George Stegmaler, captain of the winning bowling team; and Mark Mullian, of the losers; and Gene Gunning, chairman of arrangements, spoke briefly. Captains of the various teams also spoke.

Awards were presented for high average, high set, high game and attendance during the bowling season.

THIRTY MEN ARE INTERVIEWED FOR SEABEES SERVICE

Thirty men were interviewed yesterday by Warrant Officer F. L. Kennard at the local United States Navy recruiting office for enlistment in the "Seabees," navy construction corps. Officer Kennard will return to Cumberland next Tuesday and on April 20 and 31 to interview other applicants.

Among workers needed are blacksmith, bulldozer operator, carpenter, concrete worker, crane operator, diver, draftsman, driller (quarry), electrician, engine operator, gas and Diesel repairman, launchman, mechanic, plumber and pipefitters, rigger, pipe layer, powderman, sheetmetal worker, steel worker, welder, and telephone and switchboard operator.

Men between the ages of 17 and 50 are eligible. Those within the draft age of 18 to 28, who qualify for the "Seabees," will be tabbed until the time of their induction through Selective Service when they will be pre-empted for naval service.

New York Rabbi Guest Speaker at B'er Chayim Tonight

Rabbi J. Gerson Tolochto of New York City, will be the guest speaker tonight at B'er Chayim Temple, South Centre street, at 7:30 o'clock. His subject will be "Can Jew and Arab Live Together in Palestine?"

A world traveler, Rabbi Tolochto is an authority on Palestine and conditions there, following a visit and study of various problems. For several years he was chaplain at the Mississippi penitentiary. He is now a graduate student at Fordham university, where he is doing some special cultural work.

Kiwanians Have Funny Program

April Fool's day was celebrated by Cumberland Kiwanians yesterday with one of the funniest programs ever given by the local members.

The program arranged by John Oliver and G. Pennington Richards was a truth or consequences affair which was "supposed" to be broadcast—but that was "April Fool" too.

Various members of the club were called to the "mike" and with only a couple of exceptions could not answer the questions—or were not given time enough to do so—and had to pay the "consequences" which proved unusually funny—except to the person who was carrying out the assignment.

Police Hold Two Men

Warren Cunningham, 222 Harrison street, and H. A. Wolfe, Baird, W. Va., were taken into custody at 2:10 p. m. yesterday by Sgt. R. R. Johnson and Officer W. P. Crabtree. They were held in city jail and docketed as held for the state's attorney's office.

C. L. Fankhouser Is Elected Mayor Of Parsons, W. Va.

Winifred H. Murphy Is Re-named Recorder with-
out Opposition

PARSONS, W. Va., April 1—C. L. Fankhouser, running on the Citizens' ticket, was elected mayor of Parsons in today's city election, piling up a majority of 108 votes over his Democratic opponent, Charles E. Long.

Fankhouser, who will take office on July 1, received 312 votes; Long received 204. Fankhouser will succeed James Parsons, the present mayor, who did not seek re-election.

Running unopposed on both tickets for re-election as recorder, Winifred H. Murphy piled up 377 votes to lead the vote-getting.

Dr. W. E. Whiteside, running on the Citizens' ticket, received 113 votes to win the first ward councilmanic seat from Forrest Isner, Democrat, who got ninety-six votes.

Ernest Miller, with 115 votes, was elected as councilman from the second ward over Shang Phillips, Citizen, with eighty-one votes.

Joe Blackwood, Citizen, was elected without opposition as councilman from the third ward. He received fifty-eight votes.

A proposed ordinance for a special levy to raise money for a new fire truck and repairs to present equipment was carried by a vote of 451 to sixty-four.

THREE LOCAL BOYS SENT TO DETENTION HOME, THREE PAROLED

Three Cumberland boys in their early teens were ordered confined in a state detention home and three others in the same age bracket were paroled in the custody of their parents following hearings in juvenile court yesterday morning after they had confessed to city police of perpetrating six petty burglaries in the past two months.

Arrest of the boys early Wednesday morning followed an entry at 6 Altamont terrace where jewelry was taken. Tuesday afternoon, the boys told police, they took a money bag containing about \$35 from the Murphy store on Baltimore street.

About two months ago, they admitted, police said, entering the Sears, Roebuck Company store at closing time, being locked in and then escaping from the building by sliding down a rope from the second floor. They took with them skates, sweaters, knives and other articles, according to officers.

Included in their forays, police continued, were thefts at a service station, two parking lots and a theater.

The three boys who were sentenced to detention homes were already under parole from juvenile court, Judge Elizabeth R. Menefee said.

FIREMEN HERE ANSWER SIXTY-SIX ALARMS IN MONTH OF MARCH

Cumberland firemen responded to sixty-six fires during the month of March, Fire Chief Reid C. Hoenicka said yesterday.

The monthly report was closed as of March 30, Hoenicka said, and does not include an additional six grass fires to which city firemen were summoned Wednesday. They will be included in the April report.

Among the March fires was the early morning blaze that wrecked the Swift and Company plant and caused damage running into thousands of dollars. Also included was the conflagration that caused an estimated \$10,000 damage to the Cumberland laundry.

Yesterday South End firemen were called to the rear of Memorial hospital at 1:33 p. m. to extinguish a fire in a pile of lumber being used by a building contractor. Damage, firemen, said was slight.

Five Births Are Reported by Hospitals

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Earsom, 800 Patterson avenue, announce the birth of a daughter at noon yesterday in Allegany hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Hoban, 218 Pear street, yesterday morning in Allegany hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fisher, Hagerstown, announce the birth of a daughter yesterday morning in Allegany hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl N. Everstine, Baltimore, Tuesday in University hospital, Baltimore. Mrs. Everstine is the former Miss Barbara Schilling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Schilling, Greene street.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Eugene Beckman, 120 Oak street, announce the birth of a daughter last night in Memorial hospital.

Dr. Wood Will Speak At Dental Meeting

Dr. Howard B. Wood will report on the winter meeting and clinic of the Chicago Dental Society, which he attended recently, at the regular monthly meeting of the Allegany-Garrett County Dental Society, Tuesday, April 6, at 7:30 p. m., in the Central Y.M.C.A.

Five Deeds Show Sales of \$12,400

Five deeds were filed for record yesterday in the office of Robert Jackson, clerk of court, showing property sales amounting to approximately \$12,400.

Paye K. Hersch conveyed to Clyde W. Love and Margaret E. Love, property on the west side of South Centre street for approximately \$8,500.

Myrtle A. Long sold to Frank Illiff eight lots in the Pinehurst addition of Cresaptown for about \$150.

Frank Illiff conveyed thirteen lots in the Pinehurst addition, Cresaptown for \$3,000 to Benjamin F. Getz.

Cumberland Industrial Corporation conveyed to Thomas R. Croyle and Grace I. Croyle, lot No. 26, block No. 46 of Avenue M, Potomac Park addition, for about \$200.

Charles W. Grant and Pauline R. Grant sold to Chelsie A. Liller, lot No. 28 of the Craddock lots in Cresaptown for about \$200.

Three mortgages, two chattel mortgages and one conditional sales contract were also filed for record.

Hitler Making

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control of the air over North Africa and the Mediterranean.

The bulk of Rommel's forces trying to beat their way north for a junction with Col. Gen. Jürgen von Arnim's troops were reported today continuing their tortured retreat under a rain of bombs and bullets while a rear guard dug in about twenty-four miles north of Gabes on the coastal highway in an effort to fend off the pursuing British Eighth army.

The new German line was said here to be about twelve miles north of newly-captured Oudref and well above the Gabes bottleneck. Eighth army patrols were reported already engaging in preliminary skirmishes with this protective Axis force.

Americans Push Ahead

Although slowed down by thousands of mines strewn by the retreating enemy, armored American units of Lieut.-Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., were reported pushing steadily eastward from El Gueitaria pass for an imminent junction with Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's Eighth army forces.

After having been held up for more than a week by rock-riddled enemy positions on hills commanding the roads to the coast eastward from Maknassy and south-east from El Gueitaria pass, Patton directed a series of attacks today.

American spearheads of tanks and infantry plunged fiercely into wavering enemy defenses and rounded up German and Italian prisoners less than fifty miles to the west of the British. The American attack was preceded by an artillery barrage which one observer said was "one of the most terrible and wonderful sights I ever saw."

Italian infantry and artillery and German rear guard units fought with desperate courage to stem the American advance. One artillery observer said: "They are making a suicide stand out there on those plains, but it's their own suicide and we are doing our best to help them along."

British Advancing

The British First army in the north, aided by French troops, was reported making good progress east of Sedjenane in its drive north-east toward the naval base of Bizerte. The Ebouina line, overlooking Sedjenane and the Mateur-Tabarca road, was reported taken by the British after eight bayonet charges. The Germans obviously were putting up desperate resistance.

(The Rome radio said in a broadcast recorded by the Associated Press that the battle of Tunisia was approaching a climax and that it's probable "the British First army and the American army in their turn will soon assume tasks of no less importance than those of the Eighth army. The Italian high command said that yesterday's raid on Cagliari caused "considerable damage" and that sixty dead already had been counted.)

It was officially announced that thirty-one enemy planes were shot down in combat over North Africa yesterday, while twelve Allied planes failed to return. American P-40 Warhawks destroyed ten Axis planes against a single loss of their own while supporting Patton's ground troops in the El Gueitaria Pass area.

Throughout the battle area the report was the same; Allied planes blasting the enemy's troops and concentrations and shooting his fighters and dive bombers from the sky.

(A Tass dispatch from Lausanne, Switzerland, broadcast by the Moscow radio, said transport and hospital ships and railway trains were being concentrated at ports in Southern Italy, adding "there is every indication that Italian authorities are preparing for mass evacuation of Axis troops from Tunisia.")

(The London Daily Mail said in a dispatch from Madrid that 350,000 tons of French shipping immobilized in Mediterranean ports had been ordered sent to Genoa, Spezia and ports in Sardinia and Sicily. "The obvious inference is that a Dunkerque fleet is being collected for Rommel," the paper said.)

Weather in Nearby States

Western: Pennsylvania — Colder, scattered showers in north portion.

West Virginia — Somewhat colder.

Rates destroyed food and materials valued at 300 million dollars a year.

First printing with movable type was done by the Chinese in 1941.

Delegate

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sideration of the Ways and Means committee, but I have received letters and telegrams from the Chamber of Commerce, the county commissioners, the state's attorney, the liquor board and others, and all ask us not to change the law. That is why I will vote to send it back to the county delegation—it's their baby."

Other counties joined in the debate, with Delegates William F. Stromeier (D-Anne Arundel) and Leo M. Moore (D-Harford) taking the stand that the House should not break a long-standing "unwritten rule" that it vote with the wishes of the majority on any county delegation.

Would Let People Decide

"Allegany county has been operating under the present system since 1933," Stromeier said "and if they want a change, let the people decide. I don't propose to wash the dirty linen of Allegany county, and I don't think it is fair to send it to the Ways and Means committee and ask it to do it."

See, chairman of the Allegany delegation, said he didn't deny there were "some violations in my county," adding:

"Yet, there never will be a law anywhere where there will not be some violations. We have enforcement laws in the county, and if anyone knows about any illegal conditions, they should go before the grand jury."

"If you pass this bill, you will pass on to the people of Allegany county a bill they do not want."

Praises Present System

Sleeman, in reply to Dick's statement that nineteen of Maryland's twenty-three counties had liquor control boards or commissions, said the head of the state anti-saloon league termed Allegany county's system the best in Maryland.

"All I ask the House to remember are three words—let us alone."

Dick said there was "no appeal from a decision of the court in granting licenses, and that a monopoly is being protected by the present system."

"Sale of beer in the county is unlimited, we have fifty-eight licensed liquor dealers, and there is no restriction on the number of clubs. "I am not asking you to open wide the liquor traffic—I am against it, but I have engaged in the liquor business for three years and I know the conditions whereas others in my delegation do not enter these places and do not know what is going on."

He said some persons, refused a liquor license, obtain a beer permit, "then get a federal stamp to protect them and purchase liquor from legitimate dealers of Allegany county and conduct their bootleg trade. Many of these with beer licenses are open all hours of the night, and obey no law."

Reports Much Bootlegging

"It's paying some dealers to keep the present set-up, and twenty-four of the fifty-eight licensed dealers are engaged in bootleg traffic."

Dick referred to an old decision of the court of appeals that it was not a function of the courts to issue licenses for horse racing. And said the ruling paralleled the liquor licensing question.

"I regret also, that I am forced to demonstrate against certain activities of officers high in our state government."

"When the attorney general of our state comes into this house and tells you in lobbying against the bill that it is a political bill, he errs. I can say this in no stronger words."

Attorney General William C. Walsh, of Cumberland, was seated in the House chamber during the discussion.

Objection by Walsh

He told the house that the Ways and Means committee had voted unanimous approval on the bill last Wednesday, but the report never came to the floor.

"At that time, the House had before it the Bond bill to revise the court of appeals, which I opposed. Perhaps that explains the change in attitude somewhere."

"I asked the Way and Means committee chairman 'how about my bill' and was told that Judge Walsh asked for a hearing. I resent the fact that the floor leader did not extend to me the courtesy of telling me earlier that they wanted a hearing."

It was the longest and most bitter debate of the House during the session, and members remained seated, listening intently throughout.

Post-War Plans

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ment to be necessary, and by participating in such other forms of international co-operation as may effectively prevent the rise of economic or political dangers, the peace of the world cannot be maintained."

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"Star Spangled Rhythm"
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It isn't every day that movie fans have a chance to see all their favorite Paramount stars together in one whiz-bang of a picture such as "Star Spangled Rhythm," now at the Strand theater. The audience received it enthusiastically; so will you, when you see it, because it is without question the greatest single piece of star movie entertainment ever to come out of Hollywood.

For sheer star power alone "Star Spangled Rhythm" tops everything yet made. Bing Crosby, Bob Hope, Fred MacMurray, Franchot Tone, Ray Milland, Victor Moore, Dorothy Lamour, Paulette Goddard, Vera Zorina, Mary Martin, Dick Powell, Betty Hutton, Eddie Bracken, Veronica Lake, Alan Ladd, Rochester, William Bendix, Jerry Colonna, Walter Abel and many, many others, including even Bing's oldest son, Gary, contribute their well-known talents.

But star power isn't the only at-

traction to recommend "Star Spangled Rhythm." There's a hilarious story which ties together all the Paramount stars, and seven hit tunes.

Dodd Composes Two
Songs for Western Film

Two songs — "Happy Cowboy" and "Cowboy's Voice Lesson" — in Republic's "Shadows On the Sage," the Three Mesquiteers western now showing at the Embassy theater, were composed by Jimmie Dodd, one of the stars of the film.

Dodd makes his debut as a member of the Mesquiteers in this picture, playing the comedy role of "Lullaby Joslyn." Writing songs is no novelty to him, for he has composed and sold many tunes.

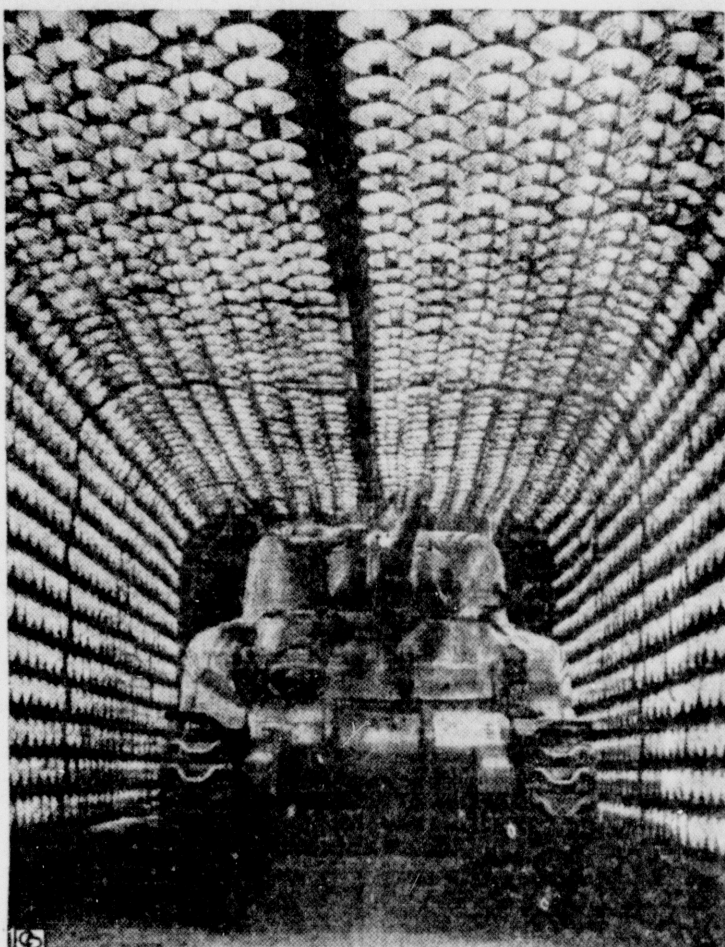
Bob Steele and Tom Tyler will once more be seen as the other two members of the Mesquiteers trio, playing the roles of "Tucson Smith" and "Stony Brooke" respectively. Cheryl Walker is the leading lady, while Griff Barnett, Harry Holman, Freddie Mercer, Bryant Washburn, and Tom London are featured. Louis Gray was the associate producer of the picture, which was directed by Lester Orlebeck.

THEY BOTH WEAR THE PANTS



"WHAT'S NEW AT THE SHOP?" is an unnecessary question for Mr. and Mrs. August Robitzek, of Duquesne, Pa. The lady of the family works in the open hearth division of the Carnegie Illinois steel plant, at Duquesne. Her husband is a recorder in the mill.

NO NEED FOR "WET PAINT" SIGNS



INFRA-RED RAYS in this light tunnel dry a coat of paint in four minutes after it is applied to United States tanks at the Chester, Pa., tank depot of the army ordnance department. The paint protects the tanks against the elements. It's a great time-saver.

American olive oil imports having been curtailed by the war, olive-growing is being greatly increased in the United States.

To whiten the teeth the Romans use pumice-stone.

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Swim-for-Health-Week queen, Evelyn Ankers, film starlet, demonstrates the shapeliness and physical fitness that predated her choice by a lucky jury of bathing suit manufacturers. Besides Evelyn's very pretty.

Refugees Trained
To Rebuild Poland

LONDON (AP) — More than 20,000 Polish refugees in East Africa are being trained for reconstruction in their own country, the Colonial Office has disclosed.

The refugees are mostly women and children of Polish soldiers fighting in the Middle East. They are settled in Uganda, Tanganyika, North Rhodesia and Nyasaland.

In the eleventh century, Vyazma, U. S. S. R., was an important way point between Gulf of Finland ports and southern Russia.

Many Mishaps Are
In Film at Maryland

Melvyn Douglas, suave delineator of debonaire roles hurls a custard pie and gets into all manner of love mishaps when teamed with the sprightly Maisie of the screen in "Three Hearts for Julia," now showing at the Maryland theater. It is the first time Douglas has been teamed with Ann Sothern, and comedy galore came out of the combination. Douglas plays a journalist, Miss Sothern his wife, who gets the "musical bug," organizes a feminine symphony, can't tell whether she wants a divorce or not and generally complicates Douglas' life.

Lee Bowman and Richard Ainley provide him with a couple of rivals to keep up his anxieties. Richard Thorpe directed the comical romance.

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Opening today at the Garden theater are a spy-ring picture, "Secret Enemies," and a Charles Starrett Western, "Riding Through Nevada."

The former, in which G-Men crack down on the country's secret enemies, stars Craig Stevens, Paye Emerson and Robert Warwick.

"Riding Through Nevada," besides Charles Starrett, has Shirley Patterson and Arthur Hunnicutt. There is also another chapter of "Overland Mail" on the Garden program.

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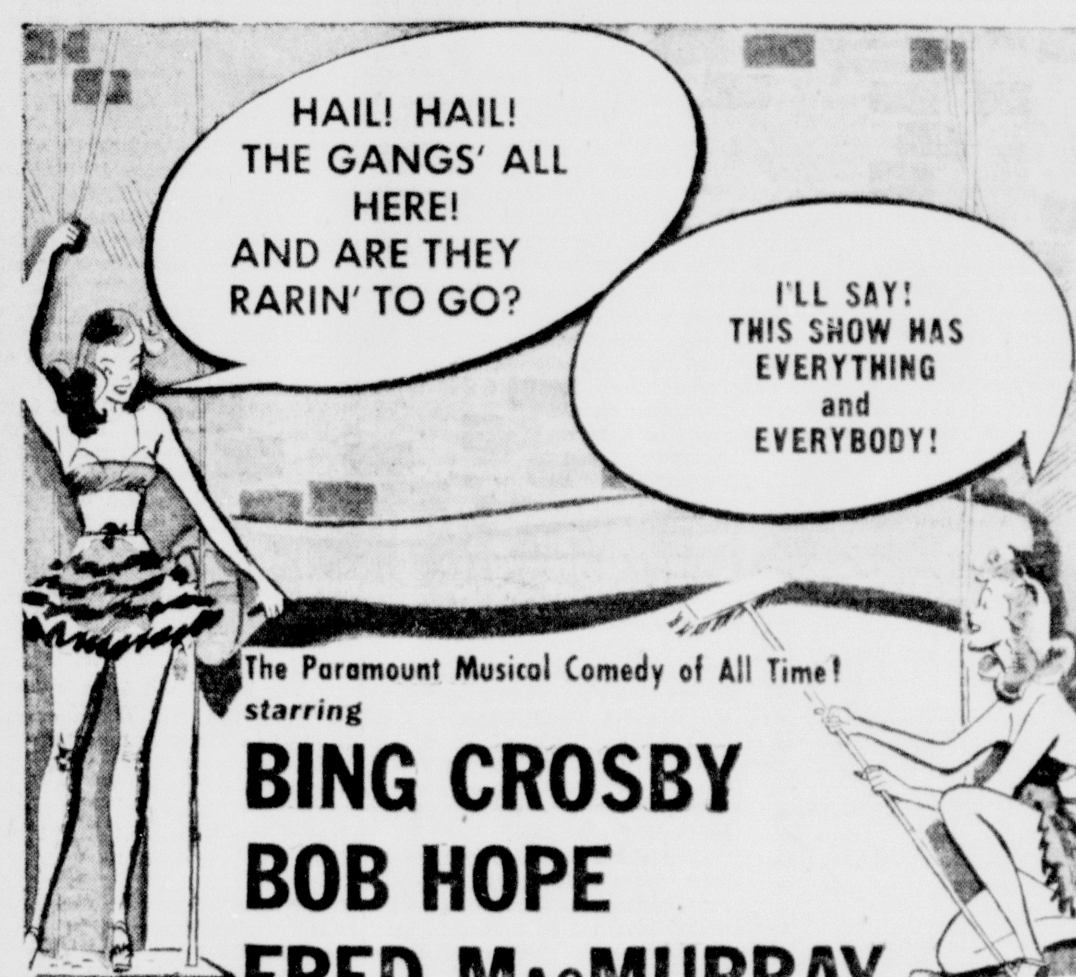
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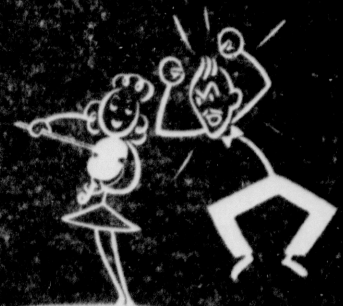
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Keyser-Piedmont Quint To Meet Pittsburgh Cage Champs Tonight

Net Proceeds of Clash, Scheduled for Keyser, Will
Be Donated to American Red Cross

KEYSER, W. Va., April 1—West-
ern Pennsylvania's No. 1 scholastic
basketball team—Scott high school
of Pittsburgh—will come to Keyser
tomorrow night to oppose a quint
composed of members of this year's
Keyser and Piedmont high court
outfits.

The clash, to be staged at the
Potomac State gym at 8 o'clock, will
follow a preliminary engagement
between girls' teams representing
Keyser and Piedmont high schools.
Scott tossers captured the West-
ern Pennsylvania Interscholastic
Athletic League championship, de-
feating Ford City high, 34-29, in the
final round. The Pittsburgh crew
went to the semi-finals of the
Pennsylvania Interscholastic Ath-
letic Association playoffs before bow-
ing to the Farrell high quint.

Average 43.3 Points

Scott won its way into the W. P.
I. A. L. series by taking the Section
7 title, finishing ahead of Rankin,
Wilkinsburg, Braddock, Turtle Creek
and Swissvale in league competition.
Before topping Ford City in the
W. P. I. A. L. final, Scott defeated
Duquesne 37-33 and Greensburg
53-42. Undeclared until stopped by
Farrell, Scott scored victories over
Pittsburgh Central Catholic, East
Pittsburgh, Rankin, McKeesport
and other Pittsburgh district rivals,
averaging 43.3 points per game
while holding opponents to an aver-
age of 31.1.

Scott will offer its regular lineup
of George "Gee" Moroz and Billy
Kelly, forwards; Regis Kelly, center,
and Charles Krul and Fred Manic-
cia, guards. All five are seniors.

Red Cross To Benefit

The Kelly boys and Moroz were
named on the Section 7 all-star
team, while Krul and Maniccia were
chosen for the second quint. Moroz
and Billy Kelly were tied for the
honor of being the most valuable
player in Section 7.

The Western Pennsylvania cham-
pions will be opposed by a team that
will include Captain William "Wig"
Pitt and Alex Ambrose, top stars
of the 1942-43 Piedmont outfit, and
Jim Cleveland, Frank Shallis and
Sam Olesbee, of the Keyser Golden
Tornado, as well as other members.

John Alderton Is High Scorer In Junior League

Captures Y. M. C. A. "B" Scoring Honors by Mak- ing Sixty-three Points

John Alderton, of the runner-up
Deetz team, led the scorers in the
Junior "B" Class Basketball League
in the season just completed at
Central Y.M.C.A., with 27 field
goals and nine out of fifteen free
throws for a total of 63 points.

Paul Davis, captain of the cham-
pionship Davis' team, was second
in scoring with 48 points, made on
23 field goals and two out of ten
fouls. Billy Davis, of the Davis' team
was third with 19 field goals and
seven out of twenty-one free
throws for a total of 45 points.

Clarence Deetz too fourth place
with 33 points and Philip Crist was
fifth with 28 points. Donald Twigg,
James Delaney, Blaine Morton,
Robert Mendelsohn and Thomas
Hutcherson followed in that order to
round out the first ten scorers.

Sixty-two boys registered in the
league which was conducted for
youngsters between the ages of nine
and twelve years.

The standings at the end of the
season and the individual scoring
records follow:

STANDINGS		
Davis'	8	2,800
Deetz'	8	2,800
Twigg's	5	5,000
Crist's	4	4,000
Bury'	4	4,000
Mendelsohn's	1	1,000

Playoff between Davis-Deetz, Tues-
day, was won by Davis.

INDIVIDUAL SCORING		
	G.	F.G. Tot.
John Alderton	27	9-15 63
Paul Davis	23	5-10 48
William Davis	19	7-21 45
Clarence Deetz	13	7-20 33
Philip Crist	12	2-12 28
Donald Twigg	12	1-8 25
James Delaney	10	0-2 20
Blaine Morton	7	3-8 17
Robert Mendelsohn	7	2-9 16
Thomas Hutcherson	5	4-7 14
Charles Bury	3	3-14 13
James Deetz	3	3-4 8
Fred James	4	0-8 8
Elmer Meig	2	0-0 0
Fred Corbin	2	0-1 0
Franklin King	1	1-5 3
Thomas Ruppert	1	0-1 0
Charles Lester	1	0-3 0
Robert Hutcherson	1	0-0 0
Franklin Phares	1	0-2 0
James Welsh	1	0-0 0
Charles Barnhart	1	0-0 0
Jack Hale	1	0-0 0
William Malamphe	1	0-2 0
William Chambers	1	0-0 0
Billy Burke	1	1-3 2
High Croser	1	0-1 0
Stanley Leasure	0	0-2 0

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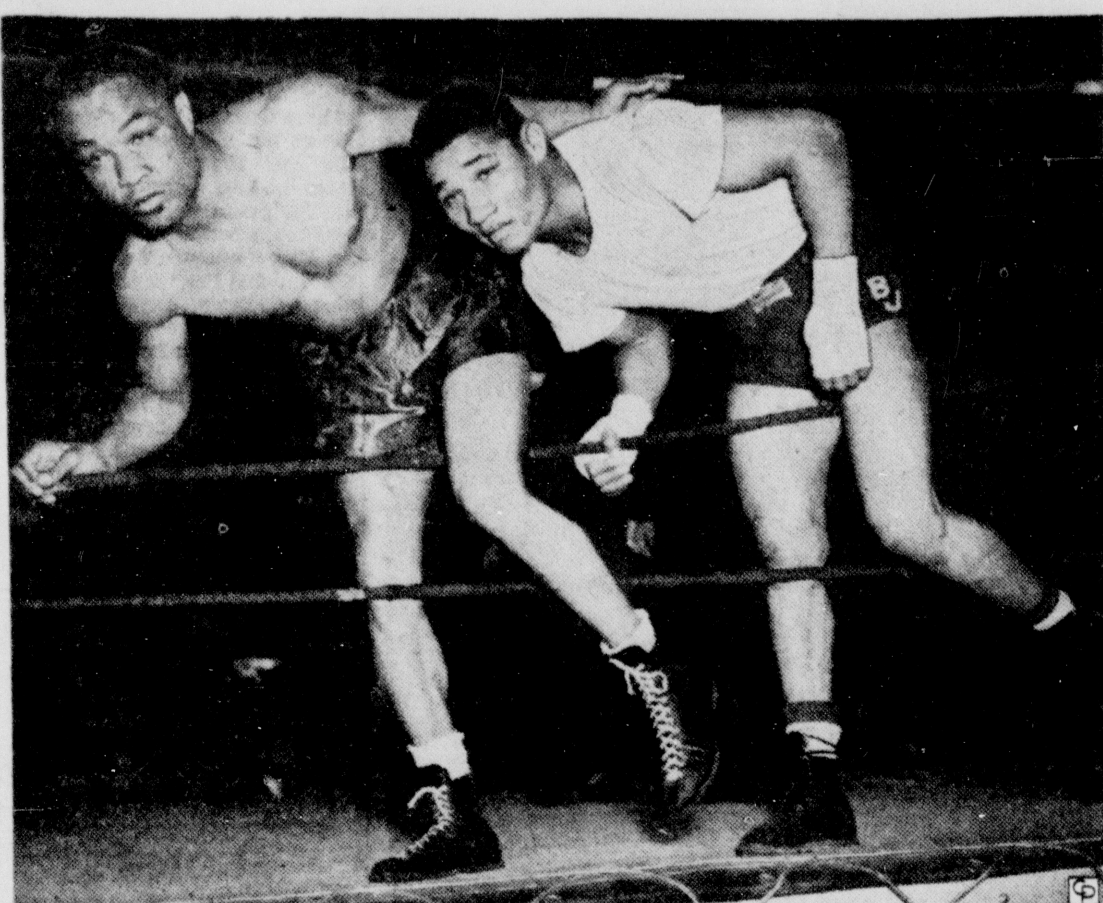
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DISPUTE as to whether Beau Jack, the Atlanta shoeshine boy who went on to win the lightweight crown, is another Henry Armstrong, ex-triple boxing king, should be settled once and for all tonight when he meets Armstrong in New York. The two are shown climbing through the ropes during a training engagement. Armstrong is in the midst of a successful comeback.

The Sportlight

by
GRANTLAND RICE
(Released by North American Newspaper Alliance)

West Point's Answer

WEST POINT, N. Y., April 1—So
far as the all-around beneficial ef-
fects of competitive and intercolle-
giate sport is concerned, West Point
has the answer. This famous train-
ing center for our army officers has
the answer for many doubting col-
leges.

You only have to visit West Point
and study its competitive system
under the competent direction of
Major General Francis Wilby, Colo-
nel Lawrence (Biff) Jones, Lt. Colo-
nel Earl (Red) Blaik and many
others to see the great good that is
brought about, where the war ef-
fort always is the main objective.

Here it isn't only sport for sport's
sake, along the lines of physical fit-
ness, quicker thinking, competitive
sharpness and needed recreation
after a long, hard grind.

The West Point Roundup

I would like all these college
doubters to consider these facts.

The West Point cadet is up at 5:50
a. m. when darkness still shuts out
the Hudson. With few brief inter-
missions, he is hard at it until 10
p. m. that night. This means a
sixteen-hour day. The greater part
of this time is spent in study, drill,
in technical development, in flying,
in certain required physical courses,
including both mental and physical
lines.

Yet West Point finds the time
to carry out its needed inter-
collegiate program, where only golf
and polo have been dropped from
the list. They have time enough
for football, baseball, basketball,
swimming and other competitions.

And if it weren't for these brief
outside intervals, it is my belief
that most of the cadets would soon
go dead stale, war or peace. For
after all, there are few human ma-
chines that can face such a 16-hour
grind day after day, month
after month, even year after year,
without either blowing up or de-
veloping some form of brain fog.
After all, a human being is still a
human being. All have certain
limits, some variety of cracking up
is sure to follow.

The Cadet Uplift

"I have been around West Point
off and on, for a long time," Col-
onel Lawrence (Biff) Jones, director
of athletics, said. "I have studied
this matter of both intramural and
intercollegiate athletics closely. I
have found that both are needed
for the morale of the cadets, for
developing a keener spirit. After
all, West Point is always training
for war. We are getting ready
even in the time of peace, for any
way that may come. I know what
it would mean to these cadets if
intercollegiate athletics should be
abolished."

Having watched closely the situa-
tion here, I agree with Colonel
Jones, 100 per cent.

When you think of that pre-dawn
start and see what these 1900 com-
ing officers must handle through
the next 16 hours, you begin to get
weary yourself just watching it.

A year has been cut from the old
schedule, forcing four years' work
into a much shorter span. Greatly
increased flying instruction also
has been added. There is no letup
in the intensity of a hard-driving
force.

A vast flock of colleges and uni-
versities are now being turned over
for war training, where nothing
counts but winning the war. Yet
none of these college centers will

outwork West Point or Annapolis.
Certainly, if our two main Army
and Navy centers, our two high war-
training citadels, can find the time
and the need for competitive play
on the intercollegiate side, the others
can help to carry on at least as
many of the sports as conditions
will permit. Those that don't soon
will discover the mistake they have
made and will turn to the example
set by our two great war service
schools on the Hudson and the
Severn. I only wish they all had
the same flaming spirit. If you
disagree, come to either place and
get just a little wiser.

SERVICE TEAMS FORM LEAGUE

BALTIMORE, March 31 (AP)—Two
new organized baseball leagues will
operate in the Maryland-District of
Columbia-Virginia this season—des-
pite the war, but because of it.

Soldiers sailors and coast guards-
men from twelve training centers in
the area have organized two six-
club baseball leagues.

And they'll have their own "World
Series" and All-Star game, too. The
winners of the loop-playoffs will vie
for the area championship in a
seven-game series to be played at
Griffith Stadium, Washington, and
Oriole Park, Baltimore.

Baltimore area teams, which will
compromise one circuit, are Curtis
Bay Coast Guard Depot, Aberdeen
Proving Ground, Edgewood Arsenal,
Holabird Ordnance Depot, Fort
George G. Meade and the Army Air
Base.

Washington teams are Bolling
Field, Fort Myer, Fort Washing-
ton, Fort Belvoir, the Navy Recruit-
ing Station and the Naval Air Sta-
tion.

While team rosters are still in
progress of formation, indications
are the two leagues will play ball
not far below double A standard, as
many former professional baseball
players are now stationed with armed
force units at the various posts
represented.

Cards Pick Design For Championship Rings

CAIRO, Ill., April 1 (AP)—The St.
Louis Cardinals picked the design
for their World Championship rings
today. Made of gold, the rings will
have a diamond in the center and a
Redbirds astride a bat on each
side of the shank.

Ohio State Pool Artists Will Try For Clean Sweep

Have Two World Record Holders in Fold for Na- tional A.A.U. Meet

NEW YORK, April 1 (AP)—Ohio
State's swimmers, headed by two
boys from the Hawaiian Islands,
Bill Smith and Keo Nakama, will
try to make a clean sweep of the
nation's major swimming cham-
pionships in the National A.A.U.
indoor meet at the New York
Athletic Club's pool tomorrow and
Saturday.

The Buckeyes, holders of the 1942
A.A.U. outdoor team title, have won
the Big Ten and National Col-
legiate A.A. team championships
this year. With a sixteen-man team,
topped by Smith, holder of world
records for 220, 440 and 880 yards
free style, and Nakama, defending
champion and meet record holder
at 440 yards, Ohio State is favored
to win this one, too. Strong com-
petition is expected, however, from
Yale's defending champion team
and from Michigan.

In all, ninety-six swimmers rep-
resenting twenty-one clubs, col-
leges and schools as well as the
Army, Navy and Coast Guard have
entered the two-day meet. The 220-
yard free style, 220-yard breast-
stroke, one-meter dive, 300-yard in-
dividual medley and 400-yard free
style relay will be contested on
Friday and the 100-yard and 400-
yard free style, 150-yard backstroke,
three-meter dive and 300-yard me-
dley relay on Saturday. Trial heats
will be held in the afternoon each
day and finals at night.

Defending champions, besides
Nakama, are Yale's speedy fresh-
man, Alan Ford, in the 220; two
Yale relay teams and Chief Spec-
ialist Adolph Kiefer of the Nor-
folk, Va., Naval Training Station
in the backstroke and individual
medley.

Ford is the first swimmer to
break the 100-yard record of 51
seconds that Johnny Weissmuller
set in 1927. He has been timed in
50.7 and 50.6 this season. Kiefer
holds all the backstroke records in
the book and the individual medley
title as well while Yale's relay teams
have bettered both the free style
and medley records this season.

Out of Job

Ed Leader, who has coached the
crew at Yale since 1922, is out of a
job since the sport has been drop-
ped at New Haven.

Middies To Open Tough Baseball Card Tomorrow

Coach Max Bishop Has Ag- gregation of Veteran Tossers on Hand

ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 1 (AP)—
Saturday will mark the start of one
of the toughest baseball schedules
the Navy nine has had since Max
Bishop took over the reins five
seasons ago.

The Middies open their season
with Pennsylvania's Red and Blue,
then follow through with games
against some of the strongest op-
ponents in the East.

Seven newcomers on the Tar
schedule include Delaware, Prince-
ton, Pittsburgh, Johns Hopkins,
Catholic U., Loyola, and the North
Carolina pre-flight school.

Another addition to the card will
be the Washington Senators, of the
American League who will play an
exhibition game here April 7. The
Baltimore Orioles, whose game with
the Middies has become an annual
event, will play here April 20.

"The 1943 schedule is tough,"
Bishop declared, "but with an ag-
gregation of veteran ballplayers on
hand, and some able assistance from
the plebes, I am quite certain that
my boys will make a good showing."

Dangerous Hitters

Among the crop of performers
that will prove dangerous to visit-
ing hurlers this season, as they did
last year, are four first classmen—
Arthur Gillis, outfielder; Warren Mc-
Namara, captain and shortstop;
George Watson, third baseman, and
Thomas Higgins, outfielder.

These particular lads are poison
to any club's pitching staff, and
for that reason Bishop can smile.

Supporting these Tars will be
Lanny Zech, third classman, who
at the present time is Bishop's
choice at second base over Veteran
Frank Schettino. Bud Dowler, last
year's first sacker, will handle the
initial sack again this season, with
Heinie Blumman, a third classman,
in reserve.

In the catching department, Ted
Snyder, last season's ace receiver,
will be ably assisted by Jack Coulter
and Don Richards.

George Watson, Navy's hard-hit-
ting hot-corner performer, is having
little trouble in competition from
Jake Jacobus and Hal Hamburg,
although as the season progresses
either one is apt to jump in and
take over should Watson slow up.
Hamburg, possessing one of the best
throwing arms seen at the academy
in a long time, is not much of a
hitter.

Three Mound Veterans

Smiley Bierman, a plebe, is giving
Tom Higgins a run for his money
for the right field post. Bierman
looked promising in early workouts
and if Higgins should falter, Bishop
said he would give the plebe a
chance to show his stuff.

The pitching staff is composed of

Davis's Capture Y Championship

Defeat Deetz 19 to 13 in Junior "B" League at Central Y. M. C. A.

The Davis' basketball team, led
by Paul Davis defeated the Deetz's
of which Clarence Deetz is cap-
tain, 19 to 13 Tuesday at the Cen-
tral Y gym to win the cham-
pionship of the Y. M. C. A. Junior
"B" Basketball League.

Both teams finished the regular
season, which closed March 23, with
eight victories and two defeats
making a playoff necessary.

Captain Davis led his team to the
championship by scoring nine
points with Billy Davis right on his
heels with eight points. Alderton
with seven points was high scorer
for the losers.

The champions held a 4 to 3 lead
at the half, but lagged in the sec-
ond period and were on the short
end of a 9-6 scorer at the end of
the first half. Scoring six points
in the third quarter while holding
the Deetz players to two, Davis' were
ahead 12-11 at the close of the
third period. They piled up
seven points in the final period to
two for the losers making the final
score 19 to 13.

DAVIS		G.	F.G. Pts.
P. Davis	4	1-4	8
W. Davis	3	2-2	6
GERY	0	0-1	0
Nelson	1	0-0	2
Phares	0	0-0	0
Totals	8	3-7	16
DEETZ		G.	F.G. Pts.
Deetz	1	0-2	2
Alderton	3	1-3	6
Leasure	1	0-0	2
Deetz	1	0-1	2
Burchard	0	0-0	0
Totals	6	1-6	12

Score by periods: 4 6 12 19

DAVIS'

DEETZ'

Referee—Van Roby.

Some Are Gone

Some of them are gone now.

We've already speculated on what

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Hampden-Sydney Captain

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tunity to win a starting berth.

Relief hurlers will include Plebe Bob

Metzer. The schedule:

April 3, University of Pennsilva-

nia; 5, University of Delaware;

7, Washington Senators (exhibition

game); 10, Princeton (there); 12,

Penn State; 14, W. Va. university;

17, University of Pittsburgh; 20,

Baltimore Orioles (exhibition game);

21, Johns Hopkins; 24, Columbia;

28, Rutgers; 29, University of North

Carolina.

May 1, William and Mary; 3,

Dartmouth; 4, Dartmouth; 5,

Georgetown; 8, N. C. Pre-Flight; 12,

University of Virginia; 15, Catholic

University; 22, Loyola; 29, Military

Academy (at West Point).

Whitney Martin Longs for Days Of Hard Hitters

Liked To Watch Yankee Tigers and Red Sox in Spring Training

By WHITNEY MARTIN
NEW YORK, April 1 (AP)—Two
three years ago, when the war
was just a distant growl, there were
three teams which we particularly
liked to watch in their Flori-
da spring training.

We'd shuffle a dusty path to the
spot behind the batting cage, Bu-
tton, you Sox or Detroit Tigers, there to
watch with our mouth gaping like a be-
trapped some of the lads took the
turns boffing the cripples that were
served up to them.

There was round Jimmy Foxx. The
stubbled jowls so plump you could
tell where he was hiding his hap-
quid of eating tobacco, and you
would grin amiably and tell you
"really got ahold of a couple of phi-
ladelphia terriers."

There was massive and pas-
sive Rudy York, sending handle his
caroming off the fences. There was
a earnest Hank Greenberg, going
40 the pitches into the next count. Du-
There was long Ted Williams, loose-
as sand and swinging his bat and
if it was part of his arms.

There was Joe DiMaggio, stub-
ble and casual. And Iron-thewed, scor-
ing Charley Keller. And rhythmic
Joe Gordon. And Tommy Henrich. I
and Joe Cronin, and Dom Di Mack-
go, and Bill Dickey. All guys wave
really could plaster that ball.

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Simmons Is Working Hard for Comeback

Former Athletic Slugger May Win Berth in Boston Outfield

WEDFORD, Mass., April 1 (AP)—The fans who saw Al Simmons tearing downhill in the National league a couple of years ago say that the once great slugger is hoping to play a lot of outfield for the Boston Red Sox this year.

But Simmons is deadly serious about making a comeback and his determination is so contagious that he may convince Manager Cronin he deserves to be in the field on opening day.

The big fellow, who was one of the galaxy of stars Connie Mack perched on fifteen years ago—Fox, Fox, Fox, Dykes and many—served as a coach of the Philadelphia Athletics last season and probably could have been one of the pensioners there again this year. However, he chose to play a comeback at the age of 40.

During the winter he contacted General Manager Eddie Collins, who was hired quickly than you can say the Red Sox have lost Ted Williams, Domonic DiMaggio and a Finney from their outfield. Simmons said then that he was fooling about planning a comeback and his actions since that time have proved he wasn't.

Simmons has been training two months in the middle of February he went to Hot Springs, Ark., and began a rigorous training program with Whitlow Wyatt of the Brooklyn Dodgers and Al Lopez, the star catcher of the Pittsburgh Pirates. He ran and ran at Hot Springs, took the baths and above all placed himself on a diet.

"This diet," he explained today, "is a Schacht used a couple of years ago when he had stomach trouble, but really got it from the Hoyt a long time before. He settled down for a big comeback year."

For breakfast I have nothing but fruit, milk and coffee. At lunch I eat starches—baked beans, boiled potatoes, spaghetti, etc. At dinner I eat any kind of meat except pork, but no dried food of any kind.

I weighed 217 pounds when I started work at Hot Springs," he continued, "and now I am down to 180. I haven't had a drink in months and I feel fine. I should be done this long ago."

I don't know how many games I can play. Maybe 154, maybe ten. I'm going to get ready to play as many as possible."

In the workouts at the Tufts College basketball cage, Simmons wore an old sweat jacket and a big turkish towel around his waist and labors harder than any other player.

Joe Cronin is Impressed
Cronin, who was doubtful like anyone else at the start of spring training, has been impressed. He's so enthusiastic and so determined that you've got to say he has a chance," Cronin commented.

Simmons' aging legs can carry him on the outfield patrol for any reasonable number of games. He is a big help to the Sox, whose outfield talent is limited to Fox, himself a 34-year-old veteran, and three starters in right and the rest of the work will be divided between Bob Garrison, a McBride and John Lazor.

He short leftfield berth at Fenway Park should be an inviting get for Simmons.

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MEET THE SCRIBE WHO PLAYED FOR TRIBE



Franklin Lewis... typewriter tapper turned Tribesman

HE DIDN'T MAKE THE TEAM, but Franklin (Whitey) Lewis, 'rookie' third baseman, will be with the Cleveland Indians this year. Lewis, ex-Purdue athlete, played only two games for the Tribe during an intra-squad series at Lafayette, Ind., but Manager Lou Boudreau was so impressed by the "youngster's" play he suggested Lewis stay with the club for the rest of the season. After some bickering, Lewis agreed, although he refuses to understudy Ken Keltner, regular third sacker. Instead, Lewis will occupy a spot in the press box, where he is more at home as baseball writer and sports editor of a Cleveland newspaper. The cameraman caught Mr. Lewis during workout above.

Injury Will Keep Devil's Thumb Out of Derby

Cracked Right Front Foot Will Keep Thumb Idle for 60 Days

NEW YORK, April 1 (AP)—A cracked right front foot—a wound "no bigger than a dime" but threatening serious injury if not treated—today forced the highly-regarded Devil's Thumb out of the Kentucky Derby, the Preakness and the rest of this spring's rich races for three-year-olds.

Winner of five straight stakes at Saratoga last August, an 8 to 1 shot in the Derby winter books and generally regarded as the most serious barrier to Count Fleet's threatened monopoly of the three-year old "money," the Thumb was declared out of action for sixty days by Trainer Cecil Wilhelm after a telephone conference with owner W. E. Boeing, the Flying Fortress man, in Seattle.

Deep Disappointment
Deep disappointment spread all over the Boeing barn at Belmont—over Jockey Conn McCreary, who says the Thumb is the best horse he's ever ridden, and over the exercise boys and swipes—a Trainer "Cecce" interrupted the husky colt's early morning walk to point out the injury.

"See there," Wilhelm indicated with his finger. "It's only as thick as a dime. I noticed a spot of blood on the foot when the Thumb came in from his workout Tuesday. When I wiped it off, I discovered the crack. I believe it started 'way back last August. He probably picked up a piece of gravel, and over the winter it worked its way up."

"It's not particularly serious, but there's always the danger a quarter crack might develop if pressure is put on that kind of an injury. So I'm going to lay up the sixty days—thirty days to fix it up and thirty more to get him back in racing form. Both Mr. Boeing and myself would rather have a sound horse in the fall than a lame horse in the spring."

Count Fleet Is Favorite
Thus, Count Fleet becomes an even more prohibitive favorite for the May 1 Blue Grass classic. Devil's Thumb—named after a mountain near Boeing's home in Seattle—was ranked up close to the Count and Occupation in the two-year old campaign last season, although he didn't race after August. After finishing second in his first start at Saratoga, he proceeded to waltz in with the rest of the juvenile stakes, topping off his spectacular month of galloping by taking the Hopeful.

With him sidelined, the Boeing Derby hopes now rest with Slide Rule, a sturdy stake-winner last season, and Twosies, the biggest three-year-old in the barn, who Wilhelm says is improving all the time and "looks like he can run over a distance of ground."

75,000 Sandlot Teams

The '43 national semi-pro baseball guide predicts that 75,000 teams will start to play on America's sandlots May 2.

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BASEBALL TRAINING CAMP BRIEFS

Pirates Are Surprised

MUNCIE, Ind., April 1 (AP)—One of Muncie's best factory ball teams from the Durham Manufacturing Company, surprised the Pittsburgh Pirates with their opposition today but the National Leaguers won, 6 to 0.

Joe Morris, a righthand fireball pitcher, limited the Buccaneers to five singles and a double by Pete Coscarart, fanned six and hurled the entire game. His mates made six errors behind him and he walked seven.

Manager Frankie Frisch used what is expected to be his starting lineup for the season's opening league game at Chicago two weeks from next Wednesday: John Barrett, lf; Frank Colman, rf; Elbie Fletcher, lb; Bob Elliott, 3b; Jim Waddell, cf; Frank Gustine, ss, and Pete Coscarart, 2b.

Rip Sewell and Al Lopez are the likely batteries.

DURHAM (semi-pro). 000 000 000—6 4 5
PITTSBURGH (N.L.). 101 120 015—6 4 1
Morris and Chalfant; Gornicki, Brandt; (7) and Lopez, Baker, (7).

Cubs Beat White Sox

FRENCH LICK, Ind., April 1 (AP)—Jimmy Wilson, Chicago Cubs' boss, was chased off the bench first and then off the field by Umpire Art Pasarella today as the Bruins came from behind to beat the White Sox 4-2 and square their informal spring training series at one-all.

Wilson's banishment came in the fifth inning after Stan Hack, who had singled, was tossed out trying to steal home.

Three walks given up by Big Bill Lee, a fly ball and a forceout gave the Sox a run in the first inning. They added another in the third when Rookie Thurman Tucker reached first on Stu Martin's fumble, stole second, and scored on Guy Curtwright's single.

The Cubs counted in the third on Len Merullo's triple and Hack's single. They added two more in the fifth, on a triple by Dom Dalesandro, singles by Claude Passeau and Hack, and an error charged against Luke Appling.

The Cubs' final tally—in the sixth—was produced when Bill Nicholson tripled and scored on Heinz Becker's fly.

The Bruins collected nine hits off Pitchers Humphries, Ross and Swift. Lee and Bithorn allowed the Sox four hits, two off Bithorn and two off Lee, while Passeau held the South Siders hitless.

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NATIONAL CHICAGO. 001 021 008—4 9 2
Humphries, Ross (4), Swift, (7) and Trech, Turner (5); Lee, Passeau (4), Bithorn (7) and Todd.

Sailors Beat Senators

NORFOLK, Va., April 1 (AP)—The Norfolk Naval Training Station's star-studded baseball team opened its 1943 campaign here today by routing the Washington Senators of the American League, 10 to 5.

Freddie Hutchinson, former De-

Interstate Loop
Plans 140-Games

BALTIMORE, April 1 (AP)—A 140-game schedule for the class B Interstate Baseball League was announced today by loop President Arthur H. Ehlers.

Its chief new feature, Ehlers said, is lengthened road trips to save mileage and provision of a number of double headers.

troit Tiger righthander, and Charlie Wagner, late of the Boston Red Sox, hurled for the Sailors, Phil Rizzuto, ex-New York Yankee shortstop, got a 400-foot homer, a double and a single and Bennie McCoy, who played for the Philadelphia Athletics before entering the navy, clouted a homer, double and two singles.

AMERICAN WASHINGTON. 000 000 113—5 4 1
NORFOLK NAVAL TRAINING STATION 101 501 208—10 13 1
Leonard, Canfield (4), Haeffner (3), Sheetz (4) and Gullison (4); Early (6); Hutchinson, Wagner (6) and Smith, Deinger (8).

RED REGULARS BEAT SCRUBS
BLOOMINGTON, Ind., April 1 (AP)—The Cincinnati Red Regulars beat the Scrubs today for the second time, 6 to 3, in preparation for their first games with the Chicago White Sox in Louisville Saturday and Sunday.

The regulars scored all their runs in the third on five hits, a walk, and a fielder's choice.

Infielder John Conway was sent to Birmingham on option.

PAUL DEAN LOOKS GOOD
CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo., April 1 (AP)—Paul Dean, new acquisition to the St. Louis Browns' pitching staff, worked like a combination of "Dizzy" and Paul for two innings of his first practice game today, striking out two batters and holding the others hitless.

But in the third he gave up three hits and a run. He said afterward, "I didn't have a thing but I'll guarantee you my arm will be all right. It feels fine."

The intra-squad game ended in a 2-2 tie.

MORT COOPER WORKS OUT

CAIRO, Ill., April 1 (AP)—Morton Cooper, who said the condition of his injured back was improving, pitched for two innings in a St. Louis Cardinals' practice game today. Al Cooper had good speed and seemed to be working with more freedom.

Rookie Harry Breechen, who followed Cooper, doled out only one hit in four innings to help Coach Mike Gonzales' squad to a 5 to 2 victory over Coach Buzzy Warren's team.

NEWHOUSE DETROIT'S CHOICE

EVANSVILLE, Ind., April 1 (AP)—Young Hal Newhouse will hurl against the Chicago Cubs in an exhibition game here Saturday in what may be his last appearance on the mound for the Detroit Tigers for the duration.

Newhouse, 22-year-old southpaw who now has a 4-P classification, will leave immediately after the game for Detroit where he will undergo another physical examination next Tuesday. He was notified last night of his draft board's order to return.

Manager Steve O'Neill also announced that Virgil (Fire) Trucks would be his choice for finishing duty Saturday. Veteran Tommy Bridges and Paul (Dizzy) Trout will work Sunday's game, also against the Cubs.

The Tigers worked out under a warm sun today, with Pitcher Hal White engaging in practice for the first time since he was injured last week.

A's Sign Fagan

WILMINGTON, Del., April 1 (AP)—The Philadelphia Athletics today signed Everett Fagan, 24-year-old pitcher who won 20 and lost 12 last season for the pennant-winning Pulaski club of the defunct Class D Virginia League. He's from Gladstone, N. J., and is 3-A in the draft. The Mackmen now have thirteen hurlers in camp, but only Lun Harris, Roger Wolff and Rush Christopher have had big league experience.

Dean in Big Ten

Bo McMillin, in his ninth year as football coach at Indiana, is the Big Ten's dean of coaches in this sport.

Georgetown Beats Toledo in Red Cross Benefit Cage Game

NEW YORK, April 1 (AP)—Georgetown carried a late first half rally over into the second period tonight to defeat Toledo, 54 to 40, as the runner-ups in the NCAA and National Invitation Basketball Tournaments clashed in the opening game of a double header for the benefit of the Red Cross at Madison Square Garden.

A capacity crowd of more than 18,000 saw the Hoyas from Georgetown, second to Wyoming in the NCAA championship, break away from a 17-17 deadlock at the 16 minute mark of the opening session to take a 25-19 lead at the intermission with Janky John Mahinken dropping in eight straight points.

Bob Bolyard connected with a field goal for Toledo, runner-up to St. John's in the invitation affair, at the start of the last half but that was all of the mid-Westerners scoring for the next nine minutes. Meanwhile, the Hoyas continued their parade to the basket until they held a 43-21 lead when Toledo finally found the range again.

Mahnken paced the winners with 20 points, six more than was racked up by little Jim Reilly. Bolyard topped Toledo's attack with 10 counters as Billy Hassett checked Minor with five points.

Stegmaier's Team Wins Elk Pin Title

Capt. George Stegmaier's bowling team won out over the outfit headed by Capt. "Bud" Mullan Wednesday night in championship matches of the Elks Bowling League for the 1942-43 season. The winners had a twenty-nine pin margin.

Brodbeck, Spoerl and McCullough led the winners with 509.433 and 421 pins respectively while Brown, Taylor and Mullan had 481.433 and 412 for the losers. The winners were honored last night at a banquet at the Elks club.

Moonshine Too Much for Bossy

MARION, N. C. (AP)—Bossy was a contented cow of exemplary bent with not even the slightest urge to jump over the moon.

But she went down a path—with a liquor still at the end of it. Bossy drank so much that she tried to jump over everything in sight and her sight was terrific!

But the moon was too far away. So she just lay down and died with a sheriff as a witness.

The Indian Sign

Ted Williams got few hits against Cleveland because the Indian pitchers gave him very few fast balls.

Cleaned 'Em Twice

NEW YORK (AP)—Joe Gordon and Charley Keller of the Yanks both hit two home runs with the bases loaded last year.

Whitney Marlin

(Continued from Page 18)

effect losses might have on the Yankees, turning them into a team of free-wheeling base runners.

But in addition to their power, the Yankees have had pitching, and a defense second to none, and a team with pitching and defense can cut its offensive voltage considerably and still win ball games.

But how about the Boston Red Sox?

There was a team which could pound a baseball into a ball of putty. The Red Sox were the Max Baer of the game. They could pound you dizzy, but they had no more defense than a scarecrow. Their pitching was all wet, probably because the chukkers were under the showers most of the time.

The infield, with the aging Cronin and Foxx moving with the alacrity of rheumatic turtles, was strictly hit and miss, and mostly miss. On a good day the balls could march through it in formation, and when occasionally it did make a double play it was cause for congratulations all around.

In other words, the Red Sox could hit, and that's about all. Now they can't hit. Not as they used to hit, at any rate.

Foxx was sold down the river to the Cubs last June, eliminating one power man. Cronin gradually eased himself out of the lineup, realizing his limitations. Williams is in the service, as is Dom Di Maggio, who hits a pretty stout ball, although overshadowed by brother Joe.

Red Sox May Surprise

What to do in a case like that? The Red Sox are doing it. They are, from all reports, taking tucks here and there in their defense and, may surprise some of the fans who are accustomed to watching the players play soccer with the ball.

They have the makings of a classy double-play team in Eddie Lake and Bobby Doerr. We recall Lake when he came up with the Cardinals along with Martin Marion two or three years ago, and the stocky little guy with the stout arms looks so good we wondered why Marlon, who looked like yesterday's gardenia

NEW KIND OF VOLLEY FOR HIM



J. DONALD BUDGE, ex-king of the tennis world, tries his hand at a new kind of volley at the Army Air Corps basic training center at Sheppard field, Texas. Budge is at the left.

with that loose, droopy physique, which was kept and Lake shipped away. Which may show what kind of a judge of raw talent we are.

Anyway, the Red Sox power is missing, and Tom Yawkey and Joe

Cronin cagily are doing the best possible thing to offset the loss. They're mending the defensive leaks so the team fielding average no longer will be confused with the batting average.

5,000 See U. S. Cage Teams in London

LONDON, April 1 (AP)—The aggressive London base command quintet, made up of former high school and college players, captured the U. S. Armed Services basketball tournament championship here tonight with an upset 52-43 victory over the Army Greys.

A crowd of more than 5,000 filled Albert Hall for the finals of London's first three-day tournament, sponsored by the Stars and Stripes for the benefit of the Orphans' fund.

Fights Wednesday Night

Cleveland-Lloyd Marshall, 180, 160, 140, 120, 100, 80, 60, 40, 20, 10, 5, 2, 1, 0.5, 0.25, 0.125, 0.0625, 0.03125, 0.015625, 0.0078125, 0.00390625, 0.001953125, 0.0009765625, 0.00048828125, 0.000244140625, 0.0001220703125, 0.00006103515625, 0.000030517578125, 0.0000152587890625, 0.00000762939453125, 0.000003814697265625, 0.0000019073486328125, 0.00000095367431640625, 0.000000476837158203125, 0.0000002384185791015625, 0.00000011920928955078125, 0.000000059604644775390625, 0.0000000298023223876953125, 0.00000001490116119384765625, 0.000000007450580596923828125, 0.0000000037252902984619140625, 0.00000000186264514923095703125, 0.000000000931322574615478515625, 0.0000000004656612873077392578125, 0.00000000023283064365386962890625, 0.000000000116415321826934814453125, 0.0000000000582076609134674072265625, 0.00000000002910383045673370361328125, 0.000000000014551915228366851806640625, 0.0000000000072759576141834259033203125, 0.00000000000363797880709171295166015625, 0.000000000001818989403545856475830078125, 0.0000000000009094947017729282379150390625, 0.00000000000045474735088646411895751953125, 0.000000000000227373675443232059478759765625, 0.0000000000001136868377216160297393798828125, 0.00000000000005684341886080801486968994140625, 0.000000000000028421709430404007434844970703125, 0.0000000000000142108547152020037174224853515625, 0.00000000000000710542735760100185871124267578125, 0.000000000000003552713678800500929355621337890625, 0.0000000000000017763568394002504646778106689453125, 0.00000000000000088817841970012523233890533447265625, 0.000000000000000444089209850062616169452667236328125, 0.0000000000000002220446049250313080847263336181640625, 0.00000000000000011102230246251565404236316680908203125, 0.000000000000000055511151231257827021181583404541015625, 0.0000000000000000277555756156289135105907917022705078125, 0.00000000000000001387778780781445675529539585113525390625, 0.000000000000000006938893903907228377647697925567626953125, 0.0000000000000000034694469519536141888238489627838134765625, 0.00000000000000000173472347597680709441192448139190673828125, 0.0000000000000000008673617379884035472205962406959533690625, 0.00000000000000000043368086899420177361029812034797668453125, 0.000000000000000000216840434497100886805149060173988342265625, 0.0000000000000000001084202172485504434025745300869941711328125, 0.00000000000000000005421010862427522170128726504349708556640625, 0.000000000000000000027105054312137610850643632521748542783203125, 0.000000000000000000013552527156068805425321816260874271394140625, 0.0000000000000000000067762635780344027126609081304371356970703125, 0.00000000000000000000338813178901720135633045406521856784853515625, 0.0000000000000000000016940658945086006781652270326092839242678125, 0.00000000000000000000084703294725430033908261351630464196221390625, 0.00000000000000000000042351647362715016954130675815232098110703125, 0.000000000000000000000211758236813575084770653379076160490553515625, 0.0000000000000000000001058791184067875423853266895380802452767578125, 0.00000000000000000000005293955920339377119266334476904012263837890625, 0.000000000000000000000026469779601696885596331672384520061319189453125, 0.0000000000000000000000132348898008484427981658361922600306595947265625, 0.00000000000000000000000661744490042422139908291809613001532979736328125, 0.000000000000000000000003308722450212110699541459048065007664898681640625, 0.0000000000000000000000016543612251060553497707295240325038324493408203125, 0.00000000000000000000000082718061255302

Radio Schedules West Coast Talk By Mme. Chiang

Armstrong-Jack Fight Is Booked by MBS Network

By C. E. BUTTERFIELD
NEW YORK, April 1. — Mme. Chiang Kai-shek, broadcasting via MBS, is to be heard in the first of two addresses from the West Coast Friday night. The time is 1 a. m. actually Saturday morning, and the talk is to come from a testimonial banquet in her honor by Hollywood film celebrities.

Sir Cedric Hardwicke, aided by his wife, is scheduled for Noel Coward's "In Which We Serve" for the Friday Night Playhouse on CBS at 9. It is the story of a British destroyer.

Bout broadcasting for MBS at 10 will be an event between the past and present lightweight champions, Henry Armstrong and Beau Jack.

Interview Is Booked
Mrs. Philip Crowlie, whom the OPA selected as a typical American housewife, is to be interviewed by Martha Deane in an MBS special at 10:30 a. m.

Then here are some other items on the agenda: MBS 2:30 p. m. Philadelphia orchestra, Eugene Ormandy conducting and Arnold Koellreuter, Brazilian pianist; CBS 5:15 Dr. Frank Adair discussing cancer control; CBS 3:30 Joseph Szigeti, violinist, and Andor Foldes, pianist in the first of a series of four appearances with the basis of their programs Mozart violin sonatas;

CBS 10 Hollywood caravan adding Elvia Allman, comedy, Mel Blanc, comedy sound man, and Billy Gray (three and a half year old) to the cast; NBC 10:30 Bishop's War and Emergency Relief Committee drama, "The Good Samaritans."

Daytime Events
NBC—11:30 a. m. Snow Village; 1:15 p. m. United States Marine Band; 5:30 Just Plain Bill.
CBS—4:15 Green Valley L. S. A. BLUE—10:45 a. m. Gene and Glenn; 12:30 p. m. Farm and Home program; 1:45 p. m. Paul Lavelle's music; 4 Club Matinee.
MBS—11:35 a. m. Yankee House Party; 1:35 p. m. Pegeen Fitzgerald's strictly personal; 4:30 Themes and Variations.

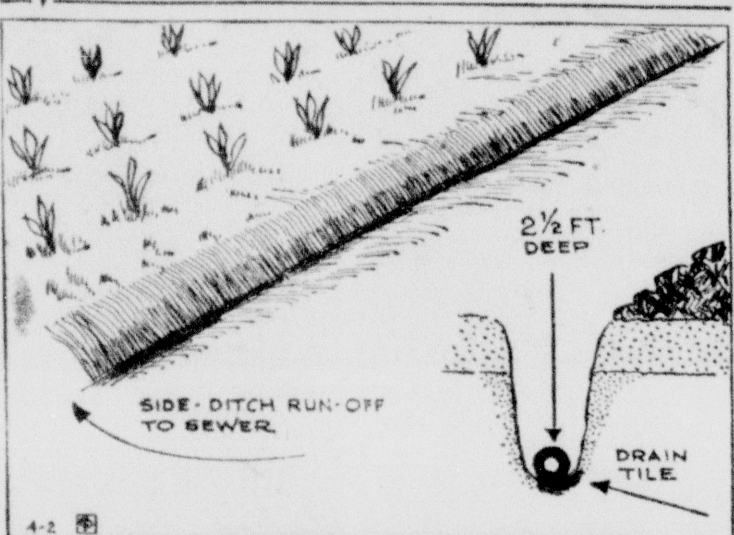
The Radio Clock

FRIDAY, APRIL 2
Eastern War Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for CWT, 2 Hrs. for MWT.
(Changes in programs as listed due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.)

8:15—Portia Faces Life, Drama—nbc
9—Be Announced (Time)—nbc
Mother and Dad Serial Series—cbs
Serenade From Quaker City—mbs
10—Just Plain Bill, Drama—nbc
The Jack Armstrong Serial—blu-east
Dance Band from Chicago—blu-west
Are You a Genius?—nbc
Junior Newscaster for Children—mbs
11—Front Page Farrell Serial—nbc
Captain Midnight's Serial—nbc
Keep the Home Fires Burning—cbs
Serial Series for the Kiddies—mbs
12—Music From Paul Lavelle—nbc
Children's Serial From Comics—blu
Ten Minutes of News; Musical—cbs
Prayer; Comments on the War—mbs
1—Melodie Strings and News—nbc
Harry Warner, Organ Recital—blu
Today With the Dinan—cbs-basie
Oiga Coelho and Singing—cbs-Dixie
Rhythm Ensemble of St. Louis—mbs
2—Music From Paul Lavelle—nbc
The Jack Armstrong in repeat—blu-west
Walter Cassell's Program—cbs-basie
War Overseas; Service Songs—mbs
3—Bill Stern and Sports Spot—nbc
Lowell Thomas on News—blu-basie
Captain Midnight's repeat—blu-west
World News and Commentary—cbs
4—Fred Waring's Time—nbc-east
Vic Borge; Scramble & Ripley—blu
1 Love a Mystery, Drama—cbs
5—Music From Paul Lavelle—nbc
7:15—World War via Broadcast—nbc
Rex Stout, Our Secret Weapon—cbs
The Johnson Family, a Serial—mbs
7:30—OPA's Neighborhood Call—nbc
Lone Ranger Drama of the West—blu
Easy Aces, Drama Series—cbs-basie
The Golden Gate Quartet—cbs-west
Halls of Montezuma, Marines—mbs
7:45—Kaltenborn and Comments—nbc
Mr. Keen, Persons Tracer—cbs-basie
Harmonies from Keyboard—cbs-west
8—Lucille Manners, Orch.—nbc
Earl Godwin's War Broadcast—blu
Kate Smith and Variety Show—cbs
Cal Tenny Comments on War—mbs
11—Dinah Shore Sings to You—blu
Barrie Sisters and Willard Tiro—nbc
30—Alt-Time Hit Parade Tune—nbc
Meet Your Navy, Variety Show—blu
Adventures of the Thin Man—cbs
The Cisco Kid, Western Drama—mbs
15—Five Minutes News Period—cbs
9:00—Abe Lyman's 15 Minutes—nbc
Gang Busters Anti-Crime Play—blu
Friday Night's Playhouse—cbs-basie
Gabriel Heatter Speaking—mbs-basie
9:15—Dancing Music Orchestra—nbc
9:30—People Are Funny, a Quiz—nbc
Spotlight Bands—cbs-west
That Brewster Boy, Drama—cbs
Double or Nothing, Quiz Show—mbs
9:45—Late Caravan of People—blu
10:00—Tommy Riggs & Betty Lou—nbc
John Gunther War Commentary—blu
Comedy Caravan, Variety Tons—cbs
John B. Hughes War Comment—mbs
10:15—Dance Music for 15 Minutes—nbc
10:30—To Be Announced (15 m.)—nbc
Alan Templeton; To Be Ann'd—blu
Paul Schubert's War Analysis—mbs
10:45—Elmer Davis Talk—nbc-cbs-blu
Dance Music Orchestra (15 m.)—mbs
11:00—News for 15 Minutes—nbc
The Fred Waring repeat—nbc-west
News and Dance (2 hrs.)—blu & cbs
Comment, Dance Variety (1 h.)—mbs
11:15—Late Variety with News—nbc

Uncle Sam's grocery bill for feeding enlisted men runs to \$2,800,000 a day, at the rate of fifty-six cents a day for each Army man.

Today's VICTORY GARDEN-GRAPE



Proper Drainage for Victory Garden

By DEAN HALLIDAY
A wet garden—even a Victory garden—will not grow good vegetables. When water stands any-

BARCLAY ON BRIDGE

By SHEPARD BARCLAY
"The Authority on Authorities"

COUNT THOSE ENTRIES
SO MANY players get into regular habits for the play of their contracts. If it is at a suit they drop trump first unless there is a need of ruffing some losers with the dummy's short trumps. If it is in a No Trumps, they go after the dummy's suit first before thinking of developing other tricks. All of that is bad bridge, unless analysis of the various factors bearing on the hand indicates that such is the best plan. For one thing, an effort to bring in a suit without first counting the necessary entries can mean the scrapping of an alternative plan which could have worked.

As setting up a couple of diamonds would not produce any more tricks, the dummy having no re-entry to use them. So now he led a club from dummy and finessed the Q. That worked; but the only remaining chance now was to drop the K with the A. When this didn't work, he was licked, finding no way to get more than eight tricks.

Very brief study should have shown South that the diamond suit was hopeless unless the holder of the A had only one small card with it, or unless the owner would play it on the second round instead of holding up. Better play would have been to lead the diamond Q to the K, as an entry for a first finesse of clubs, then use the 10 to the J as an entry for a second finesse of the suit. That method would have produced five club tricks and game, and in addition, would have given South just as good a chance to find the holder of the diamond A playing it on the second round to set up that suit.

Tomorrow's Problem
♠ J 10 9 6 5
♥ A 7 4
♦ K 9 7 6
♣ 10 7 2
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♠ 8 7 3 2
♥ Q 10 2
♦ A 8 4
♣ K 9 3
♠ A K
♥ K 8 5
♦ Q 10 5
♣ A Q J 8 4
(Dealer: South. North-South vulnerable.)
South West North East
1 ♠ Pass 1 ♦ Pass
3 NT
After South won the spade J lead with one of his honors, he noted without delay that the diamond suit was solid except for the A, so went right after it. The Q scored, then the 10 was overtaken by the J. Now he stopped to size up his dilemma. East had not been foolish enough to play his A, so still had it to block the suit. There was no point to another diamond.

where in the top two feet of the garden the soil becomes cold, soggy and so poorly aerated that the beneficial bacterial activity ceases and the plants are likely to rot and die. If water stands on the surface soil for more than two hours after a heavy rainfall it indicates that additional drainage is required.

As illustrated in the accompanying Garden-Graph, a side-ditch run-off is an effective, yet inexpensive method of providing supplementary drainage for the garden. The depth of a side-ditch will vary according to conditions. The ditch should drain into a sewer, nearby creek or even a deeply dug hole filled with stones.

The best method for a permanent drainage system is by tiling, as illustrated. If the area to be drained is small, a single line of drain tile will serve. The tile should be laid 2 1-2 feet deep. For large

GRIN AND BEAR IT

By Lick



"For some good 'escape' literature I might suggest this war cook book..."

LAFF-A-DAY



"Now we'll really see whether he's interested in boats or not!"

NOAH NUMSKULL

NOT A KNOCK IN A TANK FULL—IT'S DEAD!!

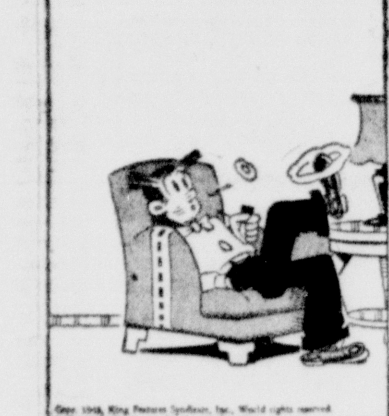


DEAR NOAH: DO YOU THINK THIS CHEAP GAS WE ARE GETTING WOULD MAKE AN OLD CAR KNOCKWURST? JOAN CLARK COONEY JACKSON HEIGHTS L.I.-N.Y.

DEAR NOAH: DOES THE GARDENER CURRY THE HORSE RADISH WITH THE COCKOBS? W.M. ARMSTRONG SAN DIEGO CALIF.

BLONDIE

Stop Cutting Corners, Pop!

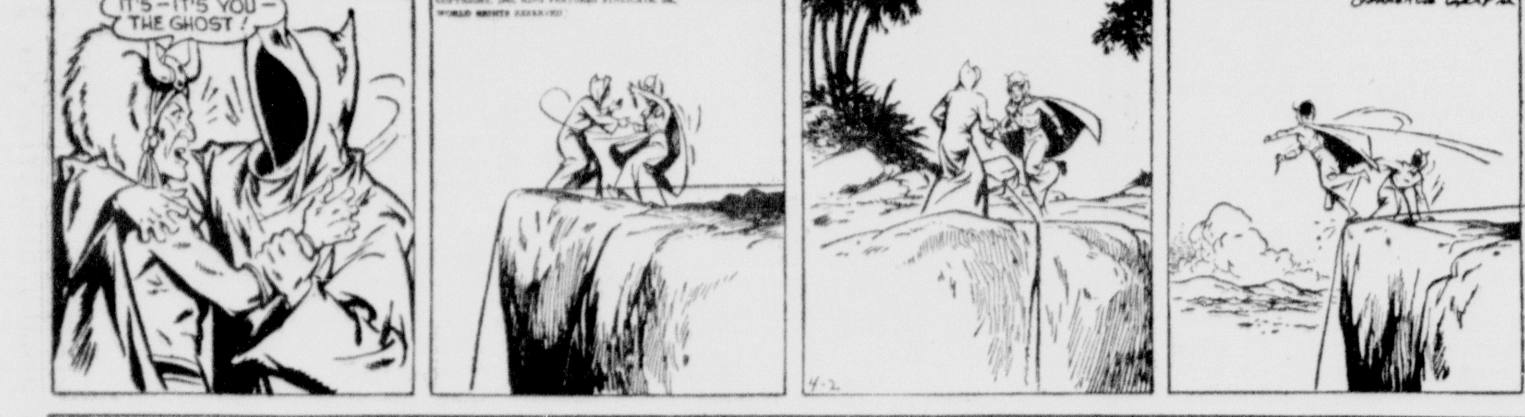


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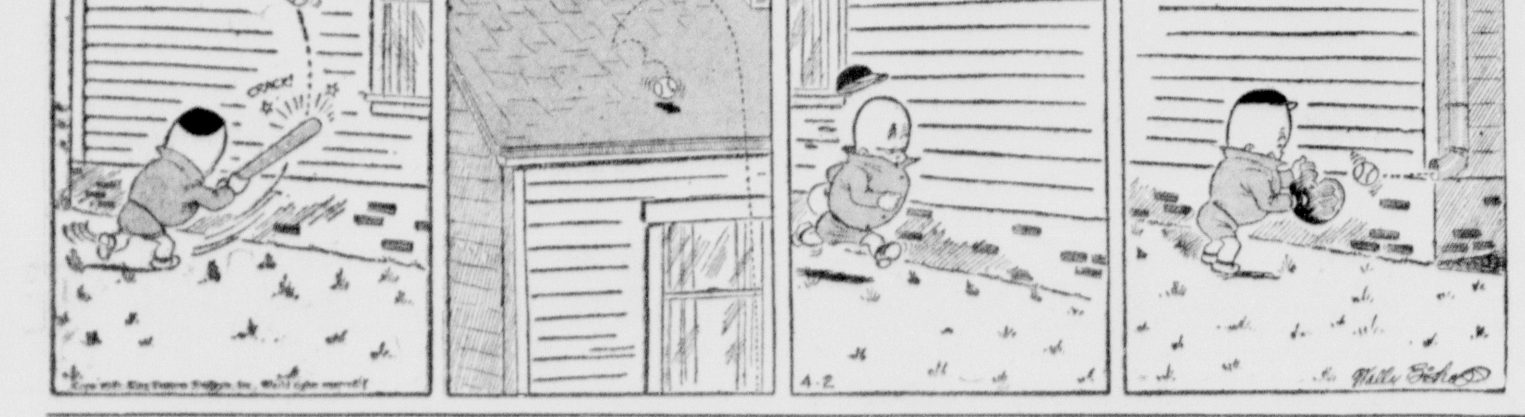
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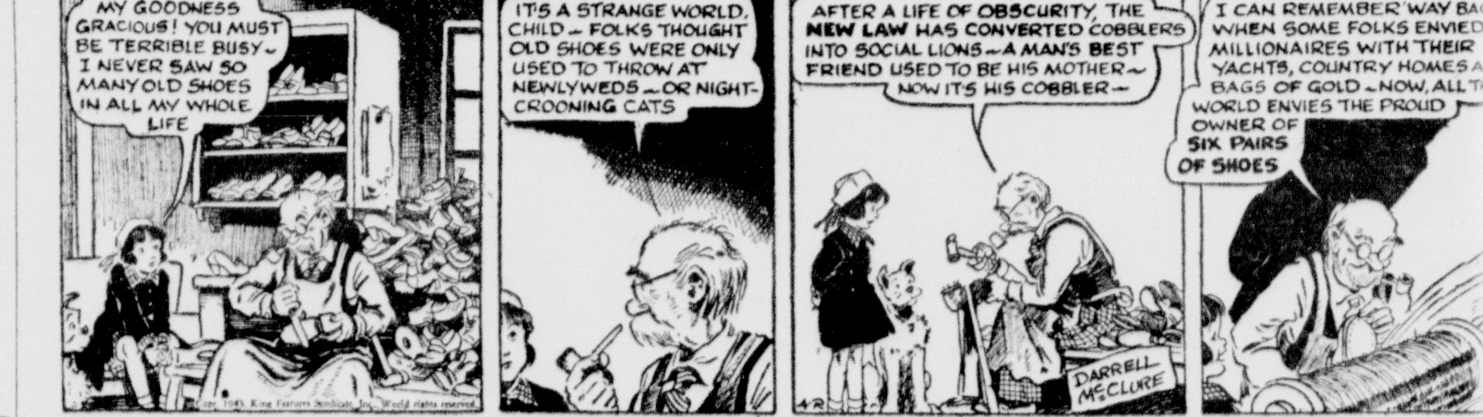
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Army-Navy Tests Scheduled Today In Seven Schools

215 Seniors and Graduates Register; Examinations Start at 9 a. m.

Two hundred and fifteen prospective students for the Army Specialized Training Program and the Navy College Training Program will take qualifying examinations at Frostburg State Teachers College and six high schools throughout the county today from 9 to 11 a. m.

Prof. John L. Dunkle, of Frostburg State Teachers College and principals of six high schools announced last evening that the registration for the tests is broken down as follows:

School	Number
Allegany High	70
Frostburg Teachers	38
Port Hill High	35
Bruce High	30
LaSalle High	17
Central High	14
Barton High	11
Total	215

Ralph R. Webster, principal of Allegany high school, said that thirty-two seniors and two graduates have signed up to take the test in the Campobello school. Webster will supervise the test.

Supervisors Selected

Prof. Dunkle said that ten students of State Teachers college will take the test and this group will be augmented by twenty-three seniors and five graduates of Beall high school. Dr. John C. Cooper and Prof. George F. Carrington will be the supervisors.

Qualifying examinations at Port Hill will be in charge of Victor D. Heisey, principal, and will be conducted in the cafeteria. Thirty-two seniors and three graduates are registered and application forms may be filled out until the test begins.

Principal Lewyn C. Davis will supervise the examination at Bruce High School, Westport, in which twenty-five seniors and five graduates will participate.

LaSalle Registers 17

Seventeen are registered for the examination at LaSalle high school with Brother Beall as supervisor. Arthur F. Smith, principal of Central high school, Lonaconing, will supervise the test at the creek school where twelve seniors and two graduates are registered. Nine seniors and two graduates are enrolled at Barton high school where the supervisors will be Gilbert C. Cooling, principal, and Timothy Conroy.

Most boys accepted for either the Army specialized Training Program or the Navy College Training Program will eventually become commissioned officers in the army, navy, marine corps or coast guard.

The navy and army will pay all expenses at the colleges of students selected on the basis of today's tests. Since there will be no further tests for some months, all high school students or recent graduates will have to take today's examinations to qualify for this training. This is an excellent opportunity for every ambitious boy, especially for those who are likely to be drafted within the next year.

Select Officer Material

The purpose of the tests is to aid in the selection of prospective officer material for the army, navy, marine corps and coast guard. Examinations are designed to test the aptitude and general knowledge of the candidates who will express a choice for the army or navy at the time of the examinations.

Those selected for either the army or navy program will attend college with all expenses paid by the respective services.

FREDERIC J. LOREE DIES IN MIAMI, FLA.

Frederic James Loree, 68, former manager of the Swift and Company plant here for fifteen years, died March 12 at his home in Miami, Fla., friends here learned yesterday. While a resident here Mr. Loree was prominent in civic affairs and was a member of the Cumberland Gun Club. A native of Canada, he was a naturalized citizen of the United States.

Besides his widow, Mrs. Emma Loree, Mr. Loree is survived by his mother, Mrs. Jane Loree, two brothers and two sisters.

Following Masonic rites at Miami the body was taken to Detroit, Mich., for burial.

GEORGE H. ELLMAN

George H. Ellman, former Cumberland grocer, died recently in Orlando, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Norman B. Schiller, 65, Fairview avenue, have been informed. Mr. Ellman's grocery here was on Fairview avenue.

OSCAR BUCY RITES

Funeral services for Oscar Bucy, who died Monday at the county home, were held yesterday afternoon at Knight's funeral home with the Rev. Charles M. LeFevre officiating. Mrs. Ross Purinton sang "Beyond the Sunset" and "Abide with Me."

Palbearers were Joseph B. Lushorn, William N. See, C. M. Plurr and Frank Peterbrink.

Wardens Will Meet

Dr. Robert W. Work, Herman Meyers and John J. Long will address a special meeting for all air raid wardens of Zone 1 tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the West Side school.



MISSING—John Jacob Ours, coxswain, United States Naval Reserve, is reported "missing in action," according to a telegram received by his father, Marcellus C. Ours, of Long, from Rear Admiral Randall Jacobs, chief of navy personnel.

Community Chest Drive Has Goal Of \$58,755.46

Campaign Will Begin May 3; Three Agencies Receive Budget Increases

The goal for the 1943 Community Chest campaign is \$58,755.46, Harold W. Smith, president of the chest, announced yesterday following a meeting of the executive committee in the chest offices.

Campaign for the funds, \$1,482.69 more than was sought in last year's collection, will begin May 3 under the leadership of Roy C. Lottig, general chairman. The campaign office was opened yesterday at 65 Baltimore street.

Collections to date from the 1942 campaign have amounted to \$30,227.48, ninety-two per cent of the subscriptions, but the collections have not been sufficient to make possible the full March allotment to the eleven member agencies.

Fifty per cent of the March awards was granted each of the agencies the first of the month and yesterday, the final day of the Community Chest fiscal year, another twenty-five per cent of the March allotment was awarded.

Pledges Outstanding
Smith said yesterday that there are enough pledges outstanding for payment of the remaining twenty-five per cent of the March allotment.

Until this year's campaign for funds gets underway next month no accidental funds will be allotted to the member agencies.

The executive committee yesterday approved the budget report as submitted by the budget committee, Harry A. Pitzer, chairman, without making any changes.

Although the campaign goal this year is almost \$1,500 more than the goal last year, decreases are provided in the allotments to seven of the agencies and one remains the same as a year ago.

Increases, however, are provided for the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts and Central Y. M. C. A.

Chairmen Are Named

Chairmen of two sections of the campaign have been named. Smith said, with Henry Swearingen, vice president and sales manager of the Kelly-Springfield Tire Company, heading the advanced gifts and Mrs. Gerard Everette in charge of the women's section. Other members of the campaign organization will be announced as campaign plans progress.

Tin Can Collection Slated This Month

Cumberland's third tin can collection campaign will be held April 16 and 17, Harold W. Smith, secretary of the chamber of commerce, announced yesterday following a meeting of the salvage committee.

At the meeting of the committee, headed by W. Donald Smith as chairman, the need to properly prepare the cans for collection was stressed.

Because they had not been properly prepared, 860 pounds of cans collected in the last drive here were rejected, the chamber secretary said.

Ends should be removed from all cans and the cans should be washed and then flattened out before they are placed at the curb for the collector, he added.

Cans not prepared properly take up space in the freight car and then are not used when they arrive at their destination.

Fulton Meyers Post Will Sponsor Movie

Fulton Meyers Post No. 153, American Legion, will sponsor the showing of a moving picture entitled "God's Step Children" this evening at 8:30 o'clock at the state armory.

Proceeds will go toward the benefit of the post.

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John Jacob Ours Is Reported as Missing in Action

Telegram Is Received by His Father from the Navy Department

John Jacob Ours, coxswain, United States Naval Reserve, is "missing in action," according to a telegram received yesterday by his father, Marcellus C. Ours, of Long, from Rear Admiral Randall Jacobs, chief of navy personnel.

Ours, who is 26 years of age, received a citation from Secretary of the Navy Knox several months ago for heroism in the line of duty after his ship had been torpedoed while on convoy to Murmansk, Russia. Ours spent two days in a lifeboat after the ship was sunk.

He has three brothers serving in the navy. They are Robert, Warren and Clair. The latter is a veteran of eight years in the navy and participated in four naval battles in the Pacific ocean after Pearl Harbor. Another brother, Howard, is a sergeant with the army air corps in the Southwest Pacific area.

Ours also has four sisters, Miss Inez Ours, who keeps house for her invalid father, Mrs. Harry Bramble, this city, Betty Ours, a student at Allegany high school, and Mrs. Bertha Walker, Detroit, Mich. Before enlisting Ours was a Celanese employee.

Fifty Recruits Is County Goal For WAAC Week

Lieut. Kennedy Makes Final Plans with Recruiting Committee

Members of the Tri-State Civilian Recruiting committee met last night in the city hall with Lieut. Mary E. Kennedy, WAAC recruiting officer from the Hagerstown district office, to discuss final plans for the observance of WAAC week from April 4 through April 10 in Cumberland and Allegany county.

The week's campaign activities will be directed toward the final goal of fifty recruits as the Western Maryland quota in the organization of the fourth All-Maryland contingent. The third All-Maryland company will leave from Baltimore Monday to begin basic training at Daytona Beach, Fla.

Civilian Recruiters Will Be Used

Recruiting headquarters will be manned by civilian volunteers and will be located in the local downtown business section, the exact site to be announced later. Present plans now provide for the office to be open on Monday and Thursday afternoons and for approximately eight hours on Saturday.

Prospective WAACs may obtain information and application forms from these headquarters or from the army recruiting office in the post office. One day will be set for the administering of required aptitude tests for which applicants will be notified. By working through the local headquarters, it will be necessary for recruits to spend only one day out of town. After the aptitude tests are given, those passing will be sent to Hagerstown for personal interview and physical examination, and if they are successful in those two recruiting routines, they will be sworn into service immediately.

Cumberland Has Recruiting Record

The enlistment drive will continue even after WAAC week, according to Lieut. Kennedy, and a feature of the campaign will be a weekly radio broadcast each Thursday afternoon over station WTBO, planned and sponsored by WAAC recruiting officers from the Hagerstown office.

Lieut. Kennedy also stated that Cumberland has been recognized as the outstanding district under the jurisdiction of the Hagerstown office and that there have been more recruits from this area than from any other in eight western counties. Yesterday she swore in two.

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Community Chest Budget for 1943

The budget analysis as approved by the executive committee for the 1943 Community Chest campaign contains the approved budget for 1942, awards to the agencies in 1942, requests of the agencies for 1943 and the tentative budget granted the agencies for 1943. The analysis follows:

Agency	1942 Budget	1942 Award	1943 Request	1943 Budget
Allegany County League				
For Crippled Children	\$3,100.00	\$2,913.55	\$3,807.69	\$3,100.00
Associated Charities	9,385.24	8,818.72	10,305.40	8,892.93
Allegany Hospital	5,300.00	4,698.85	5,000.00	4,000.00
Baby Welfare	1,250.00	1,175.42	1,350.00	1,200.00
Boy Scouts	3,662.90	3,426.28	6,000.00	4,426.28
Girl Scouts	3,393.98	3,152.17	3,778.98	3,452.98
Jewish Welfare	385.00	361.10	400.00	375.00
Keating Nursery	2,067.15	1,971.34	2,167.80	2,060.89
Salvation Army	10,538.66	9,902.25	12,000.74	10,331.85
Travelers Aid	882.00	773.30	1,005.00	578.62
Y. M. C. A.	7,983.22	7,511.48	12,690.50	10,384.01
TOTALS	\$47,577.25	\$44,704.26	\$58,326.26	\$48,802.56
Campaign Expense	3,730.00	3,730.00	3,700.00	3,700.00
Administrative Expense	2,470.00	2,470.00	2,717.00	2,667.00
Shrinkage Account 6 1/2%	3,495.52	3,161.32	4,222.21	3,585.96
TOTALS	\$57,272.77	\$54,065.58	\$69,163.41	\$58,755.46

COUNTY'S FIRST PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE MARKS 20 YEARS' SERVICE

Miss Margaret L. Morrissey Reviews Pioneer Days in Rural Areas

Allegany county's first public health nurse, still active after twenty years of continuous and faithful service, was in a reminiscent mood yesterday as she unfolded many incidents of the pioneer days when the Model T Ford was in its heyday and being chased by the male member of the household with a rifle in his possession was not an unusual experience.

Displaying service stripes in the form of graying hairs, Miss Margaret L. Morrissey took a Cumberland News reporter back to 1923 when she assumed duties assigned to her by the state department of health, and traced the progress of health activities in the county over a score of years to the present day.

Dr. Riley Served Here

Prior to her appointment as Allegany county's first public health nurse on April 1, 1923, Miss Morrissey recalls that through an act of the state legislature Dr. C. C. McCulloch became the county's first full time health officer. Another fact revealed by the veteran public health nurse is that Dr. Robert H. Riley, who today is the head of the state health department, served as part time health officer here previous to the appointment of Dr. McCulloch.

Cumberland's nursing staff comprised two members in those days, the county was unorganized and there were no nurses working outside of the city.

Due to the unimproved roads, Miss Morrissey explained, very little of the rural sections had been explored and as far as public health work was concerned this field was virgin territory.

Water Troughs Life Savers

"The old Model T Ford was the means of transportation to the more remote places in those days," Miss Morrissey said, "as one could get in very deep ruts and still keep going because these cars were built so high from the ground. To keep them from becoming overheated on the mountains a gallon can filled with water was carried on all trips. The supply of water became exhausted we would obtain more from water troughs located along the highway for horses. These troughs were life savers."

In the pioneer days the health nurse would accompany the health officer and would give instructions to a family that had typhoid fever, scarlet fever and diphtheria while the doctor quarantined the home. Being chased by the male member of the household with a rifle was not an unusual occurrence as the prevalence of communicable diseases was high, according to Miss Morrissey.

Rapid Strides Made

From 1923 to 1925 public health activities consisted mostly in the control of communicable diseases through quarantine and immunization.

"We have made rapid strides in the past twenty years when you stop to reminisce and realize that only forty children would be vaccinated in a school of 200 or more," Miss Morrissey explained.

"A nurse never left the office in the morning without ten or fifteen diphtheria and scarlet fever cards and at the end of the day there were few cards left."

"It was not an unusual occurrence to have to do a tracheotomy operation on a child with laryngeal diphtheria in the home."

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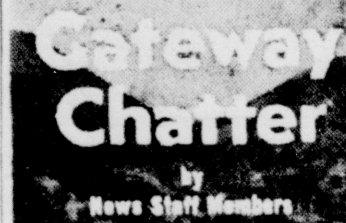
The county's first public health nurse in relating her experiences of yesterday told of the time she became lost while making a call in the eastern end of the county in the vicinity of Little Orleans.

"It started to get dark and I came to the end of a dirt road which crossed a swollen stream. When about halfway across the stream the engine flooded and there I was stalled. Thank heavens it was the pettiocot era because I crawled up on top of the car, began to shout at the top of my lungs"

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PIONEER — Miss Margaret L. Morrissey, Allegany county's first public health nurse, yesterday completed her twentieth consecutive year of service with the county health department. Miss Morrissey became a pioneer in health work in the field outside of Cumberland on April 1, 1923, and grew up with the department. Cumberland had only two public health nurses a score of years ago and due to unimproved roads very little of the rural sections were explored as far as public health work was concerned.



Here's some additional tips on your Victory Garden as prepared by Ralph F. McHenry, county farm agent for the Cumberland Chamber of Commerce. To assist in giving them the widest possible distribution, Chatter is offering them to potential gardeners, for whatever help they may be.

Yesterday, Chatter outlined Location, Soil and Soil Management. Here are suggestions on Planting Time and Successive Planting.

1. Hardy plants may go in as early in April as the ground can be fitted. These include onion sets, early peas, early cabbage plants, radishes, kale and other hardies.
2. Half hardy plants and seeds may be sown or set out during late April. These include beets, spinach, lettuce, carrots, parsnips, etc.
3. Tender plants may be set out from May 10 to 20. These include tomato plants, pepper plants. Seeds of tender plants may be sown May 1 to May 10. These include snap beans and early sweet corn.
4. Very tender plants and seeds should be set out in late May. These include lima beans, cucumbers, squash, eggplant, etc.

To assure vegetables over a period of several weeks, a plan of successive planting may be followed with some items.

1. Successive plantings of such things such as peas, corn, beets, tomatoes, snap beans, etc., may be made about a week or two weeks apart throughout the season until the last planting will mature just before frost.
2. Early vegetables may be followed on the same ground again by planting to late summer or fall maturing plants. Soil occupied by early peas, onions, early cabbage, kale, early beets, etc., may be followed by such vegetables as late cabbage, late sweet corn, kale, turnips and spinach.

Tomorrow, Chatter will offer suggestions on Cultivation, Fertilizer and Insects and Disease Control.

George Geatz Is Given Cartoon by Rhode Island Man

George Geatz, LaSalle high school's high-scoring cager, is in receipt of a cartoon drawn by Frank B. Lanning of the Providence, R. I., Evening Bulletin during the recent basketball tournament in that city. The cartoon shows a front view of Geatz from the shoulders up and alongside are three smaller drawings of action depicting LaSalle rally in winning their first game in the tourney.

Sgt. J. C. Millar Takes Part in Rotterdam Raid

Cresap Park Soldier Was Waist Gunner in Flying Fortress

CRESAPTOWN, April 2. — Sgt. James Carskadon Millar, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carskadon Millar, Cresap Park, was the right waist gunner in a Flying Fortress, which was a part of a flying squadron from England which bombed Rotterdam Tuesday.

According to the War department report, the bombers were attacked by a strong force of enemy fighters over the English Channel but continued onto their target.

Sgt. Millar is a graduate of Allegany high school with the class of 1937 where he was a star player on the soccer team. Prior to his induction in 1941 he was employed by the Celanese Corporation of America.

After Sgt. Millar received his basic training at Fort Meade, he was transferred to the army air corps and sent to Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, Tex., where he was graduated from the technical mechanics school in March, 1942.

From Sheppard Field he was sent to a replacement center at Salt Lake City, Utah, then to a Boeing factory in Seattle, Wash., where he was assigned to a bomber crew. In this country before he was sent to England where he has been stationed since August, 1942.

J. Glenn Beall To Speak at Jaycee Meeting

Ralph Race, Former State President, Also Invited To Talk Monday

J. Glenn Beall, representative to Congress, has been invited to address the Cumberland Junior Association of Commerce at their regular monthly dinner meeting in Central Y. M. C. A. Monday at 6:30 p. m. Rep. Beall has accepted the invitation provided he is not called back to Washington before the meeting.

Another speaker on the program will be Ralph Race of Frostburg, former state president of the Jaycees.

At the meeting, members will discuss the Honor Roll on North Center street and attempt to evolve plans to complete the proposed addition to the board. The present Honor Roll is already filled with about 2,900 and almost as many more are to be added. Shortage of skilled labor has created a problem for the committee, and the membership will be asked for ideas and suggestions.

Ernest Duckworth Will Assist in Rounding Up Stray Animals

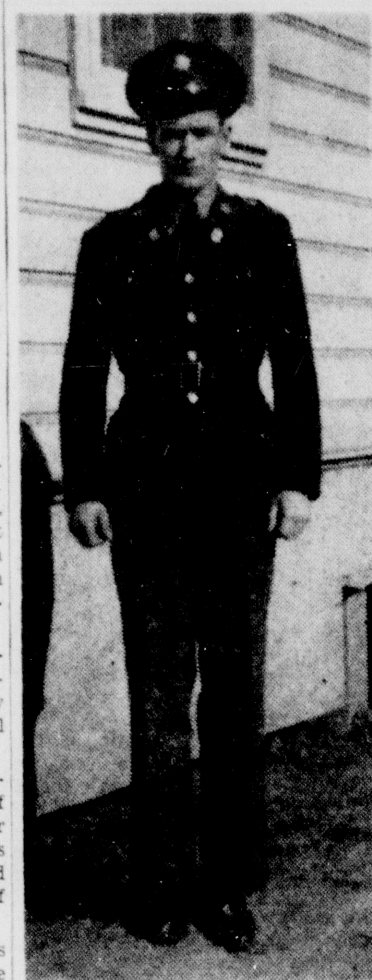
Appointment of Ernest M. Duckworth as aide to Dr. Frank B. McCallum, city veterinarian, in rounding up stray dogs and cats within the city limits, was announced last evening by James Orr, police and fire commissioner.

Orr advised residents that McCallum and Duckworth are the only persons given authority to participate in the round-up of the stray canines and felines after complaints were lodged with his office that children in different parts of the city took the job into their own hands yesterday and expected to receive fifty cents for each of the animals turned over to the city.

Dogs and cats picked up by McCallum and Duckworth will be impounded for twenty-four hours and if not claimed within that time they will be destroyed. Once the animals are impounded a small fee is charged for their release.



AT ARMY POST — Auxiliary Irene L. Britten, 26 Greene street, Cumberland, is a member of a Women's Army Auxiliary Corps unit now working at Fort Belvoir, Va. The WAACs have taken over many jobs in the post headquarters. She went to the army post from the First WAAC Training Center at Fort Des Moines, Iowa, where she received military training for this work.



WAIST GUNNER — Sgt. James C. Millar, of Cresap Park, was the right waist gunner in a Flying Fortress, which took part in the bombing of Rotterdam Tuesday. (See story this page.)

Governor Signs Election Board, Hospital Bills

Former Boosts Salary to \$480; Other Provides Repaying Money

Two legislative bills from Allegany county were enacted into law yesterday when they were signed by Governor Herbert R. O'Connor at the State House in Annapolis while three other measures relating to the repeal of obsolete statutes were approved by the Senate and sent to the state's chief executive for his signature or veto.

The governor yesterday signed House Bill 297, which directs the Allegany county commissioners to float a \$40,000 bond issue to repay money borrowed by the county for use of the Memorial hospital board to complete construction of two floors at the hospital.

Provides Salary Boost

Another measure which received the governor's stamp of approval was Senate Bill 272, which authorizes an increase in the annual salary of members of the Board of Supervisors of Elections to \$480.

The governor also affixed his signature to one Garrett county measure, Senate Bill 318, increasing the amounts to be paid certain volunteer fire departments in Garrett county and includes the Bloomington fire department among those to receive payments. Oakland is increased from \$600 to \$1,200; Friendsville, Kitzmiller, Grantsville and Bloomington are to receive \$700 each and the county commissioners are authorized to levy the sum of \$4,000 annually for the purposes on assessable property.

Senate Passes Repealers

Repealers of obsolete statutes, which originated in the House and passed the Senate yesterday, included:

HB 612—Relates to property assessments by the mayor and council of Lonaconing.

HB 621—Relates to licenses for chain stores.

HB 622—Relates to certain electric railways operating in Allegany county.

The House approve one Allegany county measure, HB 756, authorizing the county commissioners to establish and maintain an institution to be known as The Juvenile County Home and authorizing the borrowing of \$100,000 for erecting and equipping the home, and two Garrett county bills.

Referendum Attached

One of the Garrett measures approved is HB 544, authorizing the mayor and council of Kitzmiller to issue and sell \$10,000 in bonds for the erection of a community building and that a referendum be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in February, 1944. The other act, authorizes the Garrett county commissioners to borrow \$6,000 for the board of education in adjusting the compensation of contractors operating school buses and providing for the levy, in 1944, to repay the loan with interest.

Four Men Return To Camps after Father's Funeral

Four Cumberland men have returned to their army bases after attending the funeral of their father, Edgar Eston Gerard, 139 Humboldt street, Tuesday.

They are Capt. W. Eston Gerard, Camp Lee, Va.; Pvt. Tevis Gerard, Aberdeen Proving Grounds; Pvt. Kenneth F. Gerard, Central State College, Edmond, Okla.; and Aviation Cadet Harold W. Gerard, Santa Ana, Calif. Another son, Lieut. Claude J. Gerard, stationed at San Luis Obispo, Calif., was unable to attend the funeral. Cadet Harold will return the trip here by plane and will return by air from Washington,